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Asks Congress to Authorize Sale Of 2.75 Beer

Senator Edge, Republican of New Jersey, Calls on Congress to Authorize Sale of 2.75 Per Cent Beer—Points to Increase in Drunkenness, Insanity and Lawlessness.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Inaugurating the legislative campaign of the congressional "wet" bloc to modify the Volstead Act, Senator Walter E. Edge, Republican, of New Jersey, arose in the senate today and called upon Congress to authorize the manufacture and sale of 2.75 per cent beer.

Edge flayed the attitude of "bone drys" and declared his bill would end the present era of national lawlessness and drunkenness while bringing into the federal treasury about a million dollars annually as revenue. National prohibition in its present state, he declared, is a failure, a crime breeder and provoker of nationwide disrespect for all law."

Points to Statistics.

Edge pointed to statistics showing increased arrests for drunkenness, to records of increased insanity, to the "havoc in the government service," and to arrests among enforcing officials even in the coast guard, in his attack upon the Volstead act.

"No one is satisfied with the present law," he declared, "unless it be the bootleggers,"

Edge States Reasons.

His proposal for permitting 2.75 per cent beer, Edge said, would help make the Volstead act honest, curtail the supplies of bootleggers, decrease the demand for poisonous concoctions, minimize the transformation of private homes into distilleries, reduce the growing scandal of national law defiance, close illegal dives and salvage human wreckage, beside producing tremendous sums of federal revenue.

"More than six years ago, the now notorious Volstead Act became a law," Edge began. "No statute ever enacted in the history of the world has been more generally violated or more universally condemned.

"Everybody, whatever, may have been the original view as to the wisdom of this legislation, agrees something must be done and at once.

"Newspapers and magazines emphasize increasing violations, the disregard for law and the attending national disgrace of existing conditions. The world glibly discusses our failure. An unbiased and frank consideration of this situation is imperative."

Wants Beer Not Wine.

Edge declared he felt the legalization of 2.75 per cent beer was the only solution available to Congress. He attacked any plan for restoring saloons and declared he did not advocate "light wines" in his bill because he felt such a proposal would be unconstitutional.

"If what I propose fails to bring the relief demanded—and I frankly admit in advance no complete relief is possible without amending the Constitution, then at least the country will have a clearer understanding of the steps which must be taken if America is to re-establish her position as a community of law abiding citizens."

Failure Admitted.

Edge called attention to church surveys which showed "an increase in intoxication and an appalling condition of violation of the law." Real friends of prohibition, he added, have admitted the Volstead Act is a failure.

"A large proportion of citizens of every class violate the law without the slightest compunction," he declared. "It is indeed unusual when a number of men, and frequently women, gather together that inquiry is not at once made as to who has a supply. Conventions and conferences have bar rooms. Clubs and societies all over the country have their special rendezvous and in no way confined to any class.

Bootlegging Most Profitable.

"To shut our eyes to these facts is simply to dodge or evade the truth.

The occasional closing of restaurants and public places defying the law is simply a gesture bringing but little, if any, lasting results. If one is closed, two are usually opened. The legitimate restaurant or cafe obeying the law is compelled to shut down, as it cannot meet the illegal competition.

"Bootlegging has become the most profitable of businesses."

CALL AMBULANCE FOR "SICK MAN" POLICE CALLED DRUNK.

Monday evening police headquarters received a telephone call from Miller's drug store at 672 Broadway stating that there was a sick man on the sidewalk and to hurry the ambulance. The ambulance was rushed to the scene in response to the call and the "sick" man hurried to the city hall, where his disease was diagnosed by the police as "public intoxication" and instead of being sent to the hospital he was sent to the county jail for the night. This morning he was sober and said his name was Emmett Rose. Judge Schirick in police court gave him another chance and discharged him.

Bank Swept By Fire.

Willimantic, Conn., Dec 15.—Fire of unknown origin early today swept the upper floors of the Windham National Bank building on Main street, doing damage estimated over $125,000.

Cabinet Rejects Loucheur's Plan

M. Loucheur is Warned Also That Further Plans Must Provide for Greater Economies and Less Taxation.

Paris, Dec. 15.—The Briand cabinet today decided against complete capitulation to the finance commission of the Chamber of Deputies.

The cabinet discussed the finance commission's rejection of Finance Minister Loucheur's financial program. It was reported that the resignation of M. Loucheur and that of the entire cabinet would be under consideration. The cabinet decided, however, not to resign or permit M. Loucheur to resign.

The finance minister was instructed to confer with President Malvy, of the finance commission, and seek a "formula of practical collaboration for balancing the budget and providing for a sinking fund."

The finance committee not only rejected the taxation and sinking fund plan proposed by M. Loucheur, but warned him that any further plan which he may suggest must provide for greater economies and less taxation, if he hopes to succeed with it.

Public opinion, reflected in the press, is beginning to realize that the financial situation requires exceptional measures for solution.

The press of the left bloc is echoing the recent pleas of the reactionary press for a "political truce," and a government strong in union for the sake of France.

While the fascists are loudly clamoring for a dictatorship, Premier Briand is using his greatest eorts to still the fears of the people.

Bob La Follette An Independent

Despite Announcement of Senator Robert M. LaFollette That He Is Independent, Assignments Are Reaffirmed and Confirmed.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Senator Robert M. LaFollette, of Wisconsin today announced himself as an independent Republican and renewed an oath of allegiance to the Progressive platform of his late father, in a letter to the Republican committee on committees.

If the Republicans of the senate desire him in their fold under these circumstances, LaFollette said he would be glad to accept the majority committee assignments given him by administration leaders.

LaFollette sent his declaration of independence to Senator James E. Watson, Republican, of Indiana, chairman of the committee on committees. The letter read: I am informed through the newspapers of this morning that the committee on committees has voted to report my committee assignments to the senate. Before this formal action is taken by the committee it seems important that there should be no misunderstanding as to my position.

"At the recent special election held to fill the vacancy created by the death of Robert M. LaFollette, I was designated as the regular Republican nominee by the voters of Wisconsin at the primary, duly elected under such designation.

"In announcing my candidacy and throughout my campaign, I declared my allegiance to the progressive principles and policies of government as interpreted and applied by the late Robert M. LaFollette throughout his entire public career. The platform upon which I was nominated and elected which he anounced his successful candidacy for the senate in the Republican primary of 1922, and upon which the Republican members of the house of representatives from Wisconsin were elected at the same time.

"I shall, during my service in the senate, adhere to the letter and the spirit of the platform upon which I was elected, and shall follow the independent course which I have marked out for myself.

"With these facts before the committee should they assign me to committees as indicated by the press I shall accept such formal assignments."

After receiving the letter, the committee on committees met again and reaffirmed its previous action.

"LaFollette's letter didn't change the situation at all," said Watson later. "He will be assigned as a Republican.

The assignment of LaFollette as a Republican member of the committee on manufacturers, Indian affairs, and mining committees was later confirmed by the senate, without debate, along with other new Republican assignments.

KLAN OLIVE BRANCH WAVES WEDNESDAY

In some inexplicable way the announcement of the date of the K. K. K. Klonty Klonclave at Alligerville in The Freeman recently gave the date as Thursday. It should have been Wednesday, December 16. On that date the Grand Dragon will for the last time hold out the olive branch to the malignous ones and give them an opportunity to escape banishment from the Invisible Empire and the vengeance that follows such banishments.

Automobile Club Of Ulster County Elects Officers

Membership to be Increased Through Committees for Each Town and City Ward—One Member Procured 23 New Members Without Apparent Effort—Other Matters Before Club.

The annual meeting of the Automobile Club of Ulster county was held Monday evening at the court house at which time officers were elected for the coming year, reports were received from the officers and routine business was transacted.

Elva H. Bogart, president, presided at the meeting and James F. Loughran, W. L. Fales and W. H. Harrison were named as a nominating committee and their report was unanimously adopted, the secretary casting one ballot for the following officers who were elected:

President, Lamont V. Simpkins of Woodstock; vice president, Elmer E. Swart, Kingston; secretary, Dr. Harry R. Meinhardt, Kingston; treasurer, Ward B. Everett, Kingston; director for two years, Peter A. Black; one year, Herbert E. Thomas and H. P. Dederick of Kingston. Dr. Harry R. Meinhardt, who was elected secretary, succeeds his father, Dr. Harold F. Meinhardt, deceased, who had been secretary of the club since its organization.

Bogart Pledges Support.

Mr. Bogart, retiring president of the Club, has just been elected president of the New York State Association and in his opening remarks pledged his support to the local club and to the automobilists of the state and stated that he would make every effort to improve the conditions for automobile owners.

Resolutions on Dr. Meinhardt.

By a rising vote the following resolution on the death of Dr. Harold F. Meinhardt was adopted:

"Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God to call to everlasting rest Dr. Harold F. Meinhardt, therefore be it

"Resolved, that in testimony of the appreciation of the long service rendered to the members of the Automobile Club of Ulster county, we tender our most heartfelt sympathy to his family, and be it further

"Resolved, that a copy of this resolution be sent to Mrs. Harold F. Meinhardt and spread in full upon the minutes of this association.

Secretary's Report

The report of the secretary was received and filed as follows:

"I beg to submit to your consideration this report of the club for 1925. The present paid membership of the club is 446, new members 68 of whom 10 have paid for 1926. Also three old members have paid for 1926. There were four deaths and five resignations.

"It is difficult for me to render a detailed report of this office as the late Dr. H. F. Meinhardt, during his 20 years of service, had acquired much knowledge which he carried in his mind for use at the proper time. Especially is this trud of the work done at the different conventions. Therefore I will ask Mr. Bogart to report on this later.

Follow A. A. A. Example.

"The office has been very busy during the past year giving out touring information to members of this club and other organized bodies. We are endeavoring to follow out the A. A. A. of only giving out free service to members and charging others for information, but at the same time pointing out to them the advantages of club membership.

Highways Well Posted.

"Under the efficient management of our good roads, chairman, James F. Loughran, the reputation of the club for keeping the roads well posted has been maintained. The state highway department is gradually putting up new direction and caution signs on the main highways so that in the future the work of this committee will be more or less confined to marking county and town roads.

"Under the head of legislation I must again refer you to Mr. Bogart, as he has attended most of the hearings held in Albany last year and is in a position to know what has been done.

Headlight Law Needs Attention.

"The headlight law has been more or less enforced but there is still much to be done along this line as many of you know if you have driven along the highways at night and met glaring lights on cars or cars with only one light.

What One Member Did.

"Last year the club asked each member to get a member, but the majority apparently let it slip their minds. On the basis of registration this year we have but four per cent of the autoists in the county as members of the club. That is rather a weak showing. You all know that Mr. Bogart has been elected president of the state association and I think it is up to each and every member to get out and hustle and bring the club membership up to 2,500 or 3,000 at least, so that we can have a strong organization to back him up. We have one member, W. L. Fales, who during the past year has brought in 23 members, all alone, and with apparently no effort. So you can see what an organization we would have if each one only secured two or three of his friends as members. Don't let George do it. Let's see what we can do together."

Membership Committees.

The question of membership was discussed and Mr. Bogart suggested

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Another Clay Slide Carries Away a House

Cracks in the Ground Were Noticed in Time by Family Who Vacated House Day Before It Was Carried Away—Part of Locust Avenue Disappears.

Saturday afternoon a negro family residing in a house on Locust avenue, overlooking Terry Brothers' brickyard, noticed huge cracks appearing not only in the roadway but around the house, and as the house was located within a short distance of the big slide of several weeks ago the family decided that the safest plan was to vacate at once.

The family obtained other rooms and moved out of the house that day. On Sunday morning about 8 o'clock the house they had vacated moved out in another slide which carried the house down the bank and turned it completely over. Part of Locust Avenue was also carried away by the slide, and the only way traffic may reach the houses on that street is to detour through Lindsley's Woods.

The slide of Sunday was not quite as large as that of several weeks ago which covered North street from sight and buried several buildings of the Terry Brothers' brickyard from view, including the office.

Plaintiffs Win In Supreme Court

Straps of Behrens's Overalls Saved Him From Death When His Automobile Was Struck by Wallkill Valley Train, But He Was Injured.

In the Supreme court Monday afternoon the trial of the actions brought by Bernard Behrens, an infant, etc., and Martin Behrens against the New York Central Railroad, negligence actions, was resumed.

The actions are to recover for damages sustained when a Ford delivery truck of the plaintiff was struck by a Wallkill Valley train at Phinney's crossing on July 16, 1923. On the morning in question the plaintiff had been delivering milk at the creamery and was on his way home. The Ford car was driven down to the grade crossing and on the tracks at the time the morning train, a combination passenger, mail and express train, arrived.

The Ford was struck and the driver carried down the track some 1,000 feet or more. The driver of the car fortunately escaped death, being caught on a bolt on the engine by one of the straps of his overalls. When the train was stopped he was released.

Bernard Behrens, 15 years old, was taken to the hospital at Newburgh where Dr. Townsend reduced a fracture of the leg and placed a temporary cast on the injury. On July 24 his mother demanded that the boy be released from the hospital, telling the doctor that she wanted to take her son home and give him a mother's care, stating that she could take as good care of him as he was receiving at the hospital. She signed a release relieving the doctor and hospital of all responsibility.

The boy's injury did not mend as it should and X-Ray photos introduced showed an overlapping of the union. Dr. Townsend testified that he had intended to replace the temporary cast with a permanent one as soon as a local swelling would permit.

Jesse DuBois, fireman on the train, testified that at the time the train approached the crossing it was travelling about 45 miles an hour in order to make up time. He saw the Ford truck as it came down the creamery road and toward the crossing. He saw it come on without slackening speed and then shouted to Engineer Martin Cashin to apply the brakes. The brakes were applied and there was a crash. Dubois was the first to get off the engine and went around to the front before the train had stopped. He assisted in taking the driver off the engine where he was fast. The man was conscious. He was placed on the train and taken to Walden.

A verdict for $1,000 for plaintiff, Bernard Behrens against the railroad, and a verdict for $500 in the action brought by Martin Behrens, father of Bernard, against the same defendant, was returned this morning. The father brought an action for loss of services, the son being a minor.

George D. Aranow appeared for the plaintiffs and Amos Van Etten for the railroad company.

Public Hearing on Bus Wednesday

The public service commission will hold a public hearing at the court house on Wall street on Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock on the application of Howard C. Wilson to operate a bus line over the abandoned Colonial Division of the trolley road and in the Second and Third wards. Attorney Floyd W. Powell appears for Mr. Wilson. It is expected that a number of witnesses will be called and that there will be a large attendance of interested residents at the hearing.

Battling Siki, Senegalese Boxer, Is Found Slain

Famous Senegalese Fighter, Erstwhile Light Heavyweight Champion Is Murdered—Of a Happy Go Lucky Nature He Was Always In Trouble.

New York, Dec. 15.—Battling Siki, celebrated Senegalese boxer, was trailed from a "black and tan" dance hall on the fringe of Hell's Kitchen early today, shot twice in the back, and killed. His body was found by a policeman, face down in the middle of West Forty-first street, in front of an apartment house at number 350 at the end of a trail of blood leading from a garage at 356.

Siki, whose real name was Louis Phail, had been shot at close range. There were powder marks on his clothing. One bullet punctured his kidneys and the other his left lung.

Arrest Promised.

Police promised an arrest shortly. They learned that an hour or so before Siki's body was found, he had had an altercation with a man in a resort frequented by negroes and whites in West 50th street. Two men with whom he had a dispute some time ago were also there.

Warned By Enemy.

An enemy who warned him more than a week ago, by means of a note thrust under his door, that he was going to "get him," is being hunted. The man's identity is known to the fighter's widow, the police declare. It is thought that bootleggers, to whom Siki owed money for "white mule" had a hand in the murder.

After receiving the note Siki went about with a depressed air and told many persons he had enemies who were out to "get him." He complained to the police, as he had often done before, but scorned to accept their advice that he carry a gun.

"If I get an even break, I can take care of myself with my fists, or, if need be, anything handy I can pick up," he was wont to say.

Work of Bandits.

The slain fighter's body was positively identified by his wife, Lillian. She glanced at the body in West Thirtieth street police station and cried: "Oh, Louis, my own dear Louis."

Siki had only eight cents in his pocket and wore no jewelry. Police scout the theory that he was murdered by bandits.

The body was found by Policeman John Meehan of the Tenderloin police station. The scene of the murder is on the edge of the Tenderloin district.

An ambulance was summoned but Siki was dead when it arrived.

Identification of Siki was made by Officer Meehan who said he knew Siki and had talked to him at Eighth avenue and Forty-first street three hours before he was slain.

Colorful Career.

Siki has had probably the most colorful career of any man who adopted the ring as a profession. He was born in St. Louis of Senegal, September 16, 1897, and early in life deserted his drab job of bottle washer to do battle in the roped arena.

His exploits were increditably amusing. He always entertained the crowd once he was in the ring. He seemed to take his fight as a joke, and often went into battle after having trained on the choicest wines and liquors.

Won Light Heavy Title.

He fought with great success and achieved his greatest fame when he won the light heavyweight championship of the world by knocking out Carpentier. He lost this title later to Mike McTigue, of Ireland, in a seventeenth day of March battle in Dublin.

A Happy Go Lucky.

Outside the ring, he was constantly getting into trouble with individuals and with the police. He was of a happy go lucky nature and never avoided a battle, no matter how much the odds were against him.

In Paris, after his victory over Carpentier, he visited all the well known American bars and attempted to pay for drinks all around to strangers, including Americans, many of whom refused. The French resented this action on Siki's part after he had toppled their idol.

On another occasion, in Havana, he leaped out of a hotel window. When picked up by passersby, he smilingly remarked:

"I am Siki, the great battler."

Lion's Bite Had No Effect.

Siki was bitten by a lion cub in Marseilles, France, just before he was to have fought the British middleweight, Moore. It was thought that this would prevent Siki from entering the ring with Moore, but it didn't.

In the United States, the singular Senegalese, frequently got into trouble with the police and was locked up on numerous occasions. He went "broke" a dozen times, only to recoup his fortunes by another fight or two. He was well liked by his friends but generally regarded as his own worst enemy.

Father of Child.

Siki married Gertrude Ampleur, a Holland girl, in 1923. He was the father of one child, a boy. There was some question about Siki's marriage to the Holland girl. At any rate, Siki married again. On July, 1924, he was married in the Municipal Building, New York city, to Miss Lillian Werner, a white woman. His son was by his first wife. Last July, Siki was

Champion Fiddler Sees Wild Women

Mell Literally Stops New York Musical Comedy—Will Test Acoustics of Madison Square Garden Today.

New York, Dec. 15.—Mellie Dunham, Maine's champion fiddler, isn't at all excited about New York's "wild women."

"Kinda tired" after first glimpses of Broadway's pulsing night life, Mellie slept late this morning, late, that is for a resident of Norway, Me., and then after breakfast, sat down for a quiet smoke in the luxurious apartment of his friend, Albert Masury, in 71st street, where "Mel" and his wife are staying.

Of course, the reporters wanted to know how "Mel" had enjoyed the "wild women" after his visit to a musical comedy where he literally stopped the show. The old man, who fiddled for Henry Ford and made snowshoes for Admiral Peary, stroked his drooping white mustache for a moment, and then, his eyes twinkling, replied: "Well, you can't teach an old dog new tricks. I'm a back woodsman myself and they have to be mighty wild to be any wilder than I am."

"Mel" saw the show at his own request, for he had expressed a desire to see some of New York's "wild women" in their native habitat. Mrs. Dunham went along, when she was promised a "close up" on some of Gotham's "wild men" and their host and hostess completed the party.

After the show "Mellie" played "Turkey in the Straw" and other selections for the audience. They responded enthusiastically.

Today "Mellie" was to visit Madison Square Garden, meet Tex Rickard, and then, with his fiddle, test the accoustics of the big arena.

Five Persons Burned to Death

Flames Sweep New York Tenement and Firemen Recover Five Charred Bodies, All Burned Beyond Recognition.

New York, Dec. 15.—Five persons were burned to death early today when flames swept a five story tenement in East Fourteenth street at the foot of the East river. The fire started at 3 o'clock his morning and was still raging several hours later.

Scores of tenants rushed to the streets in little more than their underclothing. The fire was fanned by a stiff breeze. The fire marshal said he believed the fire was of incendiary origin.

The firemen had just extinguished another fire of only two blocks away when they were notified of the blaze on Fourteenth street.

The bodies were not identified because of the general chaos. A check up of the tenants int the house was being made.

It was believed possible that more bodies would be found in the wreckage of the building.

The rapidity with which the fire spread, crackling up through the five stories of the building and through its roof, may have prevented the escape of other victims.

While the fire still was raging, firemen found five charred bodies, one the body of a child. All were burned beyond recognition.

In the other fire—the 16th street blaze—the tenants had been aroused by the yapping of a faithful watch dog, who discovered the fire. Among those rescued on ladders was a blind man, Joseph Osley, who with his wife and daughter balanced perilously on a window ledge until a scaling ladder led the way to safety.

DRIVEN INSANE BY INJURIES, KILLS HIMSELF

Newburyport, Mass., Dec. 15.—Driven insane by injuries received in an auto accident, Daniel J. Kelleher, a local manufacturer, took his life after two attempts. He was prevented from dying by monoxide gas from the exhaust of his automobile by the arrival of his mother-in-law. Later he shot himself through the head at his factory.

Ambulance Calls on Monday.

Antonia Cilski was removed from No. 121 North Front street to the City Home in the ambulance on Monday. Mrs. Anna Clark was removed from the Benedictine Hospital to the City Home and Leo Baskoski from 22 Second avenue to the Kingston City Hospital.

killed by a knife wound at the same spot where he was murdered today.

No Arrests Made.

Several hours after Siki was slain this morning, police had made no arrests and indicated none were imminent. They had no clue as to the slayer. A physician who arrived in an ambulance from a hospital, made a hurried examination and pronounced Siki dead of hemorrhage caused, he believed, by either a bullet or stab wound.

Murdered Near Home.

The scene of the murder was within a stone's throw of Siki's home. Siki lived with his wife and pet monkey at 361 West Forty-first street almost across the street where the body was found.

Police, summoned to the scene, immediately began a vigorous search for Siki's assailant or assailants. They began checking up Siki's movements just prior to the killing.

Great Industrial And Commercial Activity in 1925

Most Striking Activity in Building and Automobile Industries—Outlook for 1926 is Very Favorable Especially During Early Months.

By Francis S. Sisson,
Vice-President Guaranty Trust Company of New York.

Written for International News Service.

New York, Dec. 15.—The year 1925 has been one of great industrial and commercial activity based, for the most part, on sound underlying conditions. In some respects material progress has been made toward improving these conditions, while in others the situation has become somewhat unbalanced by reason of over emphasis along certain lines.

Building and Automobile.

The most striking activity has been shown in the building and automobile industries. In the former a very rapid pace has been maintained for four years, and this has undoubtedly afforded a basis for industrial operations in many lines on a scale which could not have existed otherwise. The same is true in a lesser degree of the automobile industry in which higher levels have been usually maintained, though not without interruptions. It appears that both these industries will establish new records for output this year.

Cotton and Woolen.

The cotton and woolen textile industries have entered upon what appears to be a definite recovery from the depression of the last few years. The effect of two successive large crops of cotton has been to reduce the price of the raw material without a corresponding decline in textile prices. A similar tendency toward price balance has taken place in wool.

The general industrial situation is further strengthened by the enhanced buying power of agricultural communities resulting from a second successive season of good crops and higher prices.

Large industrial output has been balanced by active consumption, with the result that no excessive inventory accumulation has occurred.

Wholesale and retail trade has been maintained at high levels throughout the year. The steadiness of commodity prices and the extraordinary promptness and reliability of railway service have been factors tending to discourage sepeculative buying of commodities.

The country's foreign trade has shown a healthy expansion during the year.

Stocks and Bonds.

The general upward trend of stocks prices continued throughout the greater part of the year. In recent weeks a series of sharp setbacks has been encountered due to higher open market money rates and advances on rediscount rates at four federal reserve banks. The level of interest rates has risen slowly for more than a year, with a pronounced increase in the volume of bank credit. Most of this increase has taken place in loans secured by stocks and bonds, which include loans for financing security transactions.

International Debt.

The progress made in the funding of international debts has increased general confidence and facilitated the restoration of normal economic conditions abroad.

Outlook Favorable.

The outlook for 1926 is favorable to a continuation of large business activities and generally prosperous conditions, at least during the early months. The general industrial and commercial situation is thoroughly sound. Large employment, high wages, and satisfactory profits are conducive to active buying by consumers.

JAMES H. SWIBOLD WAS ARRESTED ON MONDAY

James H. Swibold, the piano technician of this city, was arrested by the police on Monday on a warrant obtained by John H. Gregory, president of Gregory & Company, the Broadway furniture dealers, charging Swibold with selling mortgaged property. When Swibold was arraigned in police court before Judge Schirick the hearing was adjourned to next week and and bail fixed at $1,000.

According to the information on which the warrant was issued, Swibold obtained furniture from Gregory & Company to the value of $1,140.40, paying a deposit of $20 down and agreeing to pay $100 a month until the bill was cleaned up. It is alleged that before the amount was cleaned up Swibold without the permission of Gregory & Company sold some of the furniture to the value of $214.50

APPROVES SITE FOR NEW STATE HOSPITAL

Albany, N. Y., Dec 15.—Attorney General Ottinger today announced he had approved title to 600 acres of land in Orangetown, Rockland county, as a site for a new state hospital for the insane. The land will cost the state $148,843.

Bicycle Recovered.

Herbert Clarke of 14 Downs street reported to the police Monday evening that his bicycle had been stolen from the Y. M. C. A. It was later recovered downtown by Officer Sheffloff.

ALL ABOARD

FOR OUR CHRISTMAS CLUB SPECIAL

Santa Claus is engineer and you can depend upon him to land you at a pleasant destination.

All you have to do is to step aboard by making the first payment in our club, and then keep up the payments through the year.

Early next December you will arrive at Holiday Season Station in the train of Good Financial Condition. You get all the money back just when you need it most. That will make you and the whole family happy.

SO EVERYBODY ABOARD!

The train will soon leave.

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From 1 cent to $10.00 a week.
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Everything marked in plain figures—you pay the sale price.

FREEMAN WANT ADS. BRING RESULTS

Marine Corps Hit Hard by Economy

Washington, D. C., Dec. 15.—The United States Marine Corps has been hard hit by the administration's economy program, Major General John A. Lejeune, commandant, declared today in his annual report.

Because of lack of funds, the famous Sixth regiment, which distinguished itself in France, had to be disbanded, Lejeune declared. Other forces have been cut, and the corps oftentimes finds it difficult to muster guards at stations ashore and afloat.

Lejeune asked congress to appropriate funds for a permanent base at Quantico, Virginia. The personnel there at present is living in temporary buildings.

Other than the customary maneuvers and drills, the year has been one of the quietest in the history of the marines, Lejeune declared.

"During the past year the marines have not been called for expeditionary duty except for minor landings in China," he said. "However, there have been two forces at all times ready for any disturbance; one force at Quantico, the other at San Diego.

"Peaceful conditions have prevailed in Haiti during this period. The task of maintaining peace and order has been performed by the Gendarmerie d'Haiti, which is composed of Haitian troops commanded by officers, most of whom are officers or enlisted men of the Marine Corps.

"A Marine brigade is still maintained in Haiti. It is the remains of the original force of occupation which brought to Haiti peace and tranquility. This result, which has brought protection to life and property, is a good basis for judging the general conduct of the force of occupation."

The year saw the end of Marine Corps activities in Nicaragua. The last of the Marine forces, sent to Nicaragua in 1923, embarked for home on August 3.

SHANDAKEN.

Shandaken, Dec. 14.—At a recent meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Claretta Scudder, president; Mrs. C. E. Wood, vice president; Mrs. Ella Coons, second vice president; Mrs. Eli Miller, secretary; Mrs. Abram Rider, treasurer; Mrs. F. S. Osterhoudt, organist. Mrs. Burr Knight, Mrs. H. Benson and Mrs. A. J. Lea served luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Osterhoudt and daughters, and Mrs. Sarah Curtis called on friends at Margaretville on Sunday.

The official board meeting, which was to have been held on Wednesday evening last, was postponed until Wednesday evening of this week, December 16, at which time two trustees will be elected in place of Burr Knight and C. E. Wood, whose terms of office expire.

Mrs. Melissa Crispell was called away to visit her daughter, Mrs. H. Deming, at Stony Point, who is very ill.

Herbert S. Crispell is employed as night watchman at the Fulton Furniture Company's works.

George Rose has moved in one of J. M. Fouhy's houses on Main street.

A Christmas tree and entertainment will be held in the M. E. Church on Wednesday evening, December 23, under the auspices of the Sunday school. Everybody invited to come.

Frank Henkel is engaged in truck-scrap iron to Kingston for the Ulen Contracting Co.

Many a woman has been weighed in the balance and found wanting * * * * to reduce.

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OFFICE CAT

TRADE MARK REG.

By Junius

Whoever is in a hurry shows that the thing he is about to do is too big for him.

Even a poor cigar has its band.

"What is an opportunist?"
"One who meets the wolf at the door, and appears the next day in a fur coat."

A Christmas pome—For Men Only.

That old pick-pocket, Santa Claus,
will soon be here again,
Bringing good will (and also debts)
unto a world of men;
With jingling sleigh-bells, jovial
face, and tummy large and wide,
He comes to bring Christmas gifts
gathered from every side;
Socks too large, and ties too loud,
and shirts with purple stripes,
Two-for-five cigars that burn (that's
all), outlandish briar pipes.
A book that saw the light of day in
eighteen ninety-two,
A dozen cotton handkerchiefs with
borders red and blue,
Bath slippers that are far too short,
a golf stick that's too long,
A thing that I'd forgot there was, a
set of old Mah Jongg;
All these and many other gifts we
haven't time to list.
Men suffer most at Christmas time—
this of my pome's the gist;
For men must pay for all they get,
exchanging gift for gift.
To contemplate what we receive is
sure to leave us "miffed."
So then, what ho for Santa Claus,
who comes to pick our purse!
The old boy's had enough, we grant,
but then he could be worse.

"Rest and a change" is a good prescription for the tired business man. Personally, we know of innumerable places where we could get plenty of rest if we could only find the change.

They had a bakers' banquet the other night and some of those boys made very floury speeches.

A man always retains tender thoughts of his first love. Unless, of course, he marries her.

"This is going to be awfully hard on me," said the falling aviator as he saw the sidewalk beneath him.

"Father," said little Rollo, "what is meant by a Sabbath day's journey?" "I am afraid, my son, that in many cases it means twice around the golf links."

Careful psychological tests have revealed that eighty-five per cent of women are inherently insincere. We are forced to wonder how long the other fifteen per cent have been dead.

One Kingston woman is so old-fashioned that she asked her daughter the other night to wash the dishes.

It doesn't do any good to hate a millionaire. That never got anyone anywhere.

The Stage Improved On.

One reason I like the movies—
When dead an actor falls,
He can't revive amid applause
And take six curtain calls.

Hints To Husbands.

Don't divorce your wife. Take her a bunch of flowers. The shock will kill her, most likely, and you can use the flowers for the funeral.

The disappointed lover is often more fortunate than the bridegroom.

Women-haters are men who haven't had much luck.

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Stetson Hats. **Knox Hats and Caps.**

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MAKING POPCORN POP.

Over-dry Popcorn Restored to Good Condition by Simple Process.

Geneva, Dec. 15.—The successful popping of popcorn is largely a matter of having the proper amount of moisture present in the popcorn kernel, says the botanist at the Experiment Station here who has devised simple methods for restoring the "pop" to popcorn. Over-dry popcorn pops as poorly as wet popcorn, it is said, and the first thing the station specialist attempted was to devise ways and means of preventing popcorn from becoming too dry and of bringing it back into good condition again if it should dry out too much.

A few simple directions for handling popcorn which will insure good results are set forth in a station bulletin which is now available for free distribution.

Handling Popcorn.

"When popcorn is first harvested, it is much too wet to pop well, but with a little care as to storage it can be brought into good popping condition by Christmas," says this authority. "The safest way is to store the popcorn in an open shed where the outside air may have free access to it, but where the corn will be protected from rain and snow. Lacking a shed, small amounts of shelled popcorn may be kept in excellent condition in sealed fruit jars. Popcorn kept in a living room or near a stove will soon become too dry for good popping.

"In most cases popcorn fails to pop well from being too dry rather than from excessive moisture, and in the station experiments a remedy for this condition was worked out. For popcorn to pop at its best it should contain 13 or 14 per cent moisture, but corn stored in a dry room will drop as low as 8 per cent during the winter months. When corn fails to pop as well as it should the following procedure will be found quite helpful.

"Two pounds of the dry popcorn are put in a two-quart fruit jar and from two to five tablespoonfuls of water added, depending on how much the corn has dried out as shown by the way it pops. Very dry popcorn will not give over a third of the normal yield of popped corn usually secured from a particular lot and should receive the maximum amount of water. After adding the water, the lid is placed on the jar, using a rubber, and fastened down tight. The corn is then thoroughly shaken and allowed to stand for at least two days. This method has been found very satisfactory even with excessively dry popcorn."

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That Hollander who says America has nothing to compare with Dutch windmills should see our cheer leaders.

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For men, women and Children—
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Elliott and Ipswich,
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Full fashioned in pure silk with the "Duo-toe" and "Duo-heel" which gives them many times the life of the ordinary stocking.
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Soft woolen mixtures of wonderful warmth, various sizes and weights in most attractive shades of pink, blue and grey—
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A Little Boy Shot and Killed Baby With Gun

Twelve Year Old Chester Winne, While Playing With Loaded Gun, Blew Top Off Head of Seven Months' Old Baby Asleep on Couch in Winne's Home at Sawkill.

Finding a loaded gun in the house, Chester Winne, 12 years old, picked it up and began playing with it when it was suddenly discharged, the charge of shot blowing off the top of the head of Essie Keator, a baby seven months old, who was asleep on a couch in a room in the home of Augustus Winne at Sawkill, about 8 o'clock this morning. The baby was instantly killed. Coroner W. Norman Conner, who was notified of the killing, investigated and decided that it was accidental. He removed the body of the dead infant to his undertaking parlors on Fair street.

The baby was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Keator of Prattsville, where the father is employed. The mother and her child had gone to Sawkill to visit her father, Augustus Winne, for a short time.

While Mrs. Keator was busy about the house doing the early morning housework, she laid the baby down on the couch in one of the rooms.

The little boy in playing about the house found the gun and picking it up began playing with it when it was discharged. The charge of shot tore off the top of the head of the baby. The mother, hearing the discharge of the gun, rushed into the room and was horrified to find her baby dead on the couch.

Fiery Pacifist

Felix Cohen, editor of the City College Campus in New York, has gone to war against compulsory military training for himself and fellow students at the institution.

JUDGE HASBROUCK TO SPEAK TO REFORMED MEN'S CLUB.

The Men's Club of the First Dutch Church will meet in the chapel of the church Friday evening at 6:30 o'clock when supper will be served. After supper Judge G. D. B. Hasbrouck will give an interesting talk on his recent trip along the Mediterranean Sea and in Greece.

Electric Lights For Display.

The Van Wagenen Company store front on Wall street has been most artistically decorated for the holiday season with vari-colored electric lights up and across the front, and when lighted at night makes a fine showing.

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Color Combination Is Important This Season

Color is of imperative importance this season, for its combination with metal threads gives warmth and softness to the silver and gold cloth that has been found harsh and trying in the all-metal brocades. The makers of these splendid fabrics have succeeded in presenting finer quality than we have ever had, and some of the loveliest evening gowns, wedding gowns and wraps are being done in lame of the sheerest weave and loveliest sheen, in cloth of silver brocaded with rose, with the new enamel blue, red or green giving an effect that is simply enchanting. In some quite impressive models the newest and richest blanchini, named "lame bossele," is shown. It has a foundation of metal tissue on which the brocade is of raised design in color. One of these is from Bechoff, a classic creation in red and blue on a background of cloth of gold.

Something sumptuous and out of the ordinary is a formal dinner gown designed for a bride who is preparing for her second wedding. It is built of black, gold and silver brocade, the upper part of the dress having a suggestion of the empire waistline, the lower part flaring at the bottom. This is open at the front, disclosing a clinging slip of gold lame and has a narrow scarf train of the gold.

With many of these gowns of metal cloth and brocade, which are, of course, for evening wear, wraps are shown to match, making in reality an ensemble. Some are of velvet, luxurious both in texture and color, with a lining of metal brocade. One entrancing model is all of silver lame and coral velvet, the gown of lame embroidered at the edges with bright silver encrusted with coral-colored beads. The wrap of lame in the latest model shirred into close-fitting lines about the shoulders falls in voluminous folds and is lined with coral velvet. This is one of the ensembles in which is evident the emphasis of material and color without the aid of fur.

Sure Paths to Beauty Women Should Follow

Every woman should be interested in an appearance which is attractive and pleasing to others. Why should we presume to be a blot on a landscape of so much natural beauty? It is a personal satisfaction to know that we are making the most of ourselves.

To radiate a truly beautiful spirit, and to be sure of a sincere manner and charm of presence, one must be kindly in thoughts as well as words.

No one can be beautiful or interesting who does not get sleep enough. Scientists have proved that the brain cells possess a vital element which is exhausted during our waking hours, and renewed during sleep.

The brain cells of an individual killed, or who dies after suffering great fatigue or strain, are so lacking in this vital element that they cannot be stained different colors readily in laboratory work; whereas the brain cells of a rested and alert individual will take on a bright stain or tint readily. Students and other workers who fail to get sleep enough, are short-sighted and stupid. They are trying to make bricks without straw or clay, and it cannot be done.

The individual who is decidedly overweight or underweight has sacrificed symmetry and beauty. Health is not at par, and efficiency and enjoyment of life are both lessened. The person of determination and strong will, will keep within of his or her weight and will use safe and logical means to keep it at normal.

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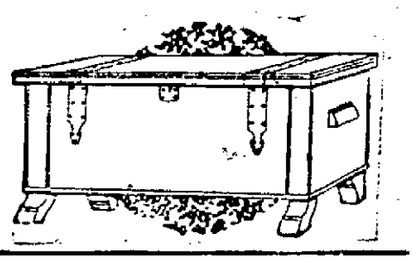

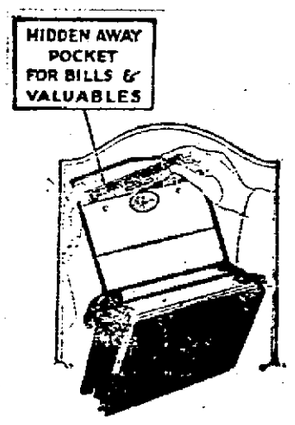

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WOMEN'S CHIFFON HOSE, all silk, double sole, Pointex heel, black and colors $2.50

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE, full fashioned, high spliced heel, mercerized garter top, black, Russian calf, sand, beige, blush, nude atmosphere, fog, zinc, taupe, gun metal $1.95

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE, pure silk, full fashioned, double sole, high spliced heel, mercerized garter top, black, nude, beige, fog, twilight, zinc, gun metal $2.25

WOMEN'S ALL SILK HOSE, silk from top to toe, high spliced heel, black and all the new shades $2.97

Gift-Specials

THESE ARE JUST A FEW

BOXED PILLOW CASES, hemstitched and lace edge..... $1.50, $1.79, $1.98, $2.25, $2.50, $2.98 a pair

BEAUTIFUL FITTED LADIES' SUIT CASE, complete with all necessary brushes, mirror, comb, etc, eight pieces. A real handsome piece in all leaher case, 20 inch size. Worth $16.50. OUR PRICE..... $12.00

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PHOENICIANS ENJOYED A RACCOON DINNER

Monday evening several well known residents of Phoenicia motored to Kingston and enjoyed a raccoon dinner at Cuneo's, No. 618 Broadway, and after dinner attended the Elks' smoker on Fair street. Those who were at the dinner were P. W. Clancy, Clarence Voss, Supervisor James A. Simpson, Ex-Supervisor George Schwarzwaelder, D. N. Hudson, J. J. McGrath, Dr. Golden, Supervisor Joseph Betz, Al Whispell and Judge Schirick of Hurley.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS TO HOLD CHRISTMAS SOCIAL

The annual Christmas social held under the auspices of Court Santa Maria, No. 161, Catholic Daughters of America, will take place Thursday, December 17, at 8 o'clock at the K. of C. Hall.

The social will consist of a musical program and card playing. Pinochle, bridge, five hundred and euchre will be in order. Card playing will start promptly at 8 o'clock.

A cordial invitation is extended to the Daughters, their friends and the interested public. A nominal sum will be charged. There will be prizes and refreshments.

The chairladies in charge of this affair, which promises to eclipse any Christmas social held by the C. D. of A., are as follows: Margaret Burns, Mrs. Harry Wade, Mrs. Samuel Walker, Mrs. William Baker and Kathryn Bailey. The following are the committee assistants: Miss J. Fraser, Miss Margaret Lenz, Mrs. P. T. Murphy, Mrs. Stelz, Mrs. Ethel Dubois, Katherine O'Brien, Mrs. William Morris, Mrs. Ralph Gregory, Mrs. Ralph Woolsey, Mrs. Andrew J. Murphy, Sr.

INTIMATE RETIREMENT OF ALEXANDER MOORE

Madrid, Dec. 15.—Retirement of Alexander Moore as American ambassador to Spain, is intimated in an official communique issued by the Spanish government today.

The communique announces that Ambassador Moore will return to the United States on December 20 and that he is claimed by private affairs.

The communique praises the accomplishments of the ambassador.

KLAN DENIES ACTION AGAINST MRS RHINELANDER.

Fort Pierce, Fla., Dec. 15.—Ku Klux Klan officials denied here today that any official action had been taken or would be taken to prevent the entry here of Mrs. Alice Jones Rhinelander.

"Fort Pierce, including the Ku Klux Klan, is made up of law abiding citizens and every one, white or black will be accorded his or her rights in this city," Klan officials said.

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FOR A MILK MONOPOLY.

Another attempt to foist the compulsory use of cooked milk on this city is under consideration by the board of health. Coming at a time when the city's milk supply is cleaner than ever before, and just as the clearing up of infected cattle is about to reach this part of the county, the effort to prohibit the sale of Grade B raw milk has less excuse than ever. An inspection of the result of milk tests last reported shows that only the tuberculin test is lacking to entitle nearly every milk dealer in Kingston to sell Grade A raw milk. Kingston's milk supply is of exceptionally good quality, made so by long and careful effort by the board of health and the milk producers. With the State Department of Farms and Markets fairly embarked on the first practical campaign for control of tuberculosis in cattle, it seems that there is little excuse for compulsory pasteurizing.

The effect of such an ordinance would be to immediately compel the milk producer to sell his product at wholesale to one of a very small number of concerns that have pasteurizing equipment, thus adding another handling of doubtful value to anyone and another cost and profit to be added to the price paid by the consumer. This would create a virtual monopoly in the sale of milk to the consumer and in the purchase from the producers, with the middlemen "sitting pretty" in a position that would enable them to take toll from both producer and consumer.

BOOKS TOO HIGH PRICED.

Winston Churchill recently told an interviewer that the publishers put such high prices on their books that the public can no longer afford to buy them, and intimated that this was the reason why no new novel of his has appeared for some time. It is true that only people of some means feel that they can afford to pay $2 or $2.50 for a novel which, for one reason or another, they may not like. Even more prohibitive are books of travel, biographies, histories, etc., few of these being now offered for less than $5, and many of them, appearing in two volumes with unnecessarily large type and heavy paper, cost from $6 to $12. The publishers may need the money, but too few readers can afford to supply it, and whether more money could be made out of books less expensively manufactured and sold at more moderate prices is a question that must at least be open to debate.

In reply to Winston Churchill several publishers hastened to show what it cost to print a novel in the days when it sold for $1.35 and what it costs now. They said the price of books had risen only 55 per cent., while the average advance in the wages of the men employed by publishers had risen 106 per cent. They also contended that most people of the book-buying class are earning much more now than in 1914, which is hardly true of those who love books most, but is true enough of many who buy or formerly bought them. There may be much point in what the publishers say, but there is more in what Winston Churchill says.

There is less disturbance in the foreign than in the American book market because it is the European custom to publish books cheaply in paper backs, leaving it to publishers to bind them expensively if they so wish. Our publishers themselves must realize that some solution is necessary in order to secure large sales.

The Italian Senate has voted to give the suffrage to women in municipal elections, but with Mussolini arranging to abolish elections in four-fifths of the municipalities, the promise of the influence of women in Italian politics can hardly be described as prodigious.

An observer estimates that one automobile of adventurers is leaving Florida for three that are entering the State—those of the return trek invariably disillusioned, disgusted, and exclaiming, "Good night! The prices are too high!"

Nine Tat had the course of custom and the approval of the people, but John E. Andrus of New York has neither for his expenditure of half a million dollars on a mausoleum which will profit him less than nothing after his body lies in it.

Day-dreaming now runs largely to sweet visions of the heating power of the anthracite that is not in the bin.

That Body of Yours

By James W. Barton, M.D.

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NATURE'S CARE FOR YOU.

How slowly and yet how surely does Nature work her helpful ways within us, is well illustrated in children who have had their tonsils removed.

One of our medical journals tells us of 1,200 such cases, and of this number about 975 had enlarged glands or "kernels" in the neck previous to the operation. At the end of a year after the operation the little lumps were still present in practically all of the cases, but at the end of the third year only about 50 of the youngsters had these enlarged glands.

What does all this mean?

That if you have any infection in the teeth, tonsils, or other part of the body, that the glands immediately get into the path of the poison, and try to hold as much as possible of it within themselves. They seem to take it in like a big funnel with a wide opening, and then allow it to pass into the blood through a very small opening. This means that they have to hold a large quantity within themselves and they of course get enlarged thereby. Sometimes the burden is too much for them and they break down, but in the majority of cases they are able to take care of the poison and pass it out into the blood in such small quantities, that the system is able to take care of it, and no great harm results.

Now just think of that for a moment.

They begin their job just as soon as the infection starts, and keep it up along after the infection has stopped any active work.

I like to compare it to a factory which has closed down its manufacturing of goods, but still has plenty on the shelves for any orders that may come in. These goods or poisons are still capable of doing damage to your system, and Nature keeps up her watchful care over you all the time.

When you realize that poisons can remain from tonsils nearly three years after the tonsils are removed, you can get some idea of just what Nature is doing for you in every part of that body of yours.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds Recently Recorded With The County Clerk.

The following deeds have been filed in the Ulster county clerk's office:

Adelbert Lapo to Joseph M. Evelich, a property in the village of Woodstock. Consideration $1.

Frank C. Eaton as executor of W. Kelly Shook to Philip Christiana, a parcel of land in the village of Napanoch. Consideration $1.

Lillian Lambert to Lillian Smith, a parcel of land on the easterly side of Downs street, Kingston. Consideration $1.

Rose Salzano to Annie Passante, a parcel of land in the town of Lloyd. Consideration $1.

Annie Passante to Frank Salzano and Rose Salzano his wife, a parcel of land in the town of Lloyd. Consideration $1.

TWENTY AND TEN YEARS AGO.

Dec. 15, 1905.—Benjamin Hendrickson, aged 18 years, was fatally crushed by cars in West Shore railroad yard here.

The Onteora ran aground off Saugerties.

Isaac I. Smith succumbed to pneumonia at the age of 74.

Navigation closed on the Hudson River.

Unsecured liabilities of the Peckham Company were placed at $100,000.

Dec. 15, 1915.—The city was still busy emerging from under its mantle of snow.

The Cornell Line closed the towing season owing to heavy ice in the Hudson river.

Hugh McCullough and Miss Anna J. Hutton married by the Rev. Dr. C. G. Ellis at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Hutton, on Rogers street.

Death of Mrs. Mary Noone, widow of Luke Noone, at her home on Pearl street.

ST. REMY.

St. Remy, Dec. 14.—Geography and pictures of Palestine will be given at the church on Thursday evening, December 17, at 8 o'clock. Refreshments afterward. Everyone is invited to attend.

The Sunday school will serve a supper this Christmas to the school, home department and cradle roll. The date will be announced later.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Van Beek were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Frost on Sunday.

The young people gave a surprise party to Miss Ada Shultis and Miss Ardis Frost on Thursday evening at Jacob Frost's.

Miss E. Ellsworth spent a few days at Milton the past week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Smith.

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150 YEARS AGO

The Origin of the U. S. A.

By Jonathan A. Rawson, Jr

MORE GIFTS FROM MANLEY.

Yesterday's story was about the beginnings of the Navy of the Revolution under the direction of the Marine Committee of the Continental Congress. Earlier stories in this series have told of Washington's little fleet of converted sailing vessels which had already, one hundred and fifty years ago today, been turned loose on British supply ships off the New England coast, and of the capture by Captain John Manley of the British sloop Nancy with a rich cargo of army supplies.

This man Manley, the British commissary department was learning, was a person to be kept constantly in mind. Following his capture of the Nancy on November 29, 1775, he had brought in the Concord on December 3, and the Jenny and the Little Hannah on December 9. In the Concord he had found 11,200 bushels of coal and a huge assortment of baled dry goods, also a vast number of letters of military importance. The captain of the Jenny managed to throw overboard his letters and papers and part of his cargo before Manley's men clambered aboard, but he had to hand over eight small cannon, porter, coal and a quantity of baron and port still "on the hoof."

The loot from the Little Hannah included a choice assortment of West Indian rum, gin, wine, porter, sugar, cocoa, lemons, limes and as a special treat for the British commander in Boston, a cask of oranges. Of these oranges the continental prize agent at Beverly wrote to his commander-in-chief: "The oranges being directed to his Excellency General Gage, hope they will be more acceptable to his Excellency General Washington."

Welcome as these oranges must have been to the General, both as trophies of war and as delicacies for his table, and ready as he was to pay out of his own pocket for some of the other tropical good things that he might present them to Mrs. Washington who had just arrived at camp, his chief joy was in Manley's discovery among his captures of a quantity of medicinal herbs. He was glad also for the good cheer which Manley's successes brought to his none-too-cheerful soldiers. In a musty old file of the Massachusetts Mercury, a newspaper of the Revolution is found this cheering news note:

"The spirit of the army was kept alive by constant supplies of various kinds: and while a severe dysentery was raging, Manley had the good fortune to send in a quantity of medicines, which his Excellency (Washington) publicly acknowledged were of more service than if he had forwarded as many tons of gold dust."

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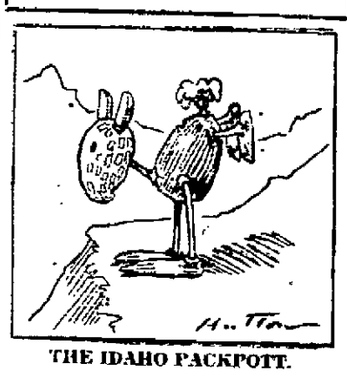
Tomorrow—"Busy Days in the Congress."

Nutty Natural History

By HUGH HUTTON.



THE IDAHO PACKPOTT.

This peculiar little animal is a cross between the Great Western Jackrabbit and the cottontail mule. It presents an interesting study in evolution, as it once had long hind legs like a kangaroo, but, having trouble with corns, started running on its front feet, and has never since had nerve to change back. It eats cactus buds and field mice, and is capable, if it cares to, of taking after a mountain goat, which it knocks silly with a powerful kick from its hind legs.

The vestiges of its cottontail mule ancestry can be seen in the popped popcorn tail attached to the filbert body. The head is a single peanut and the ears split navy beans. Cloves answer for the neck and hindlegs, whiel the feet are of split almond and peanut kernels. The front legs are toothpicks, and chewing gum holds everything together.

Metropolitan Newspaper Service.

(Tomorrow: The Kookoo Klucker.)

Strait of Gibraltar

The Strait of Gibraltar at its narrowest point is only nine miles wide. Between Point Europa and Cape Ceuta the strait measures 15 miles in width, and at the western extremity it is 24 miles wide. The length from east to west is 36 miles. The Strait of Belle Isle is 11 miles at its widest point.

Hospital for Trees

Paris has a unique hospital, located in the banks of the Seine. Trees which grow along the boulevards are on there to recover.

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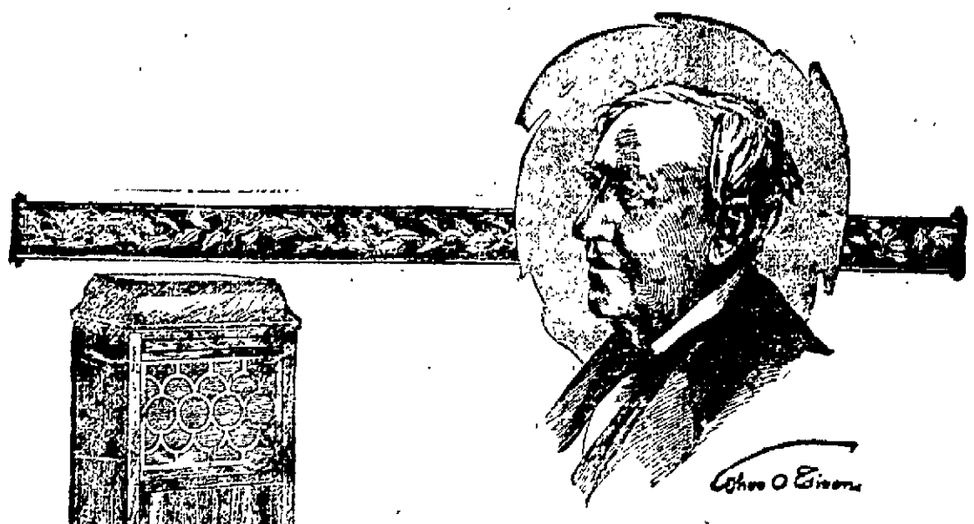

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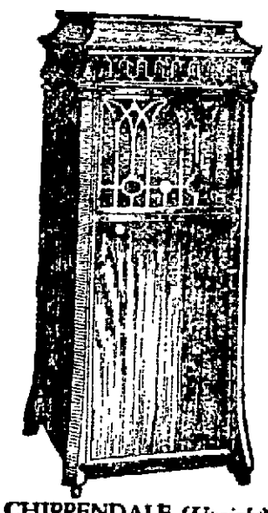

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NEW YORK SUPREME COURT, ULSTER COUNTY.—Ella F. Dutcher, Plaintiff, against Walter S. T. Dutcher, Defendant. Action for Absolute Divorce.

To the above named Defendant:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer, or, if the complaint is not served with this summons, to serve a notice of appearance, on the Plaintiff's Attorney within 20 days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service. In case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated, November 3, 1925.

ROBERT G. GROVES,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Office and P. O. Address,
6 Broadway, Kingston, N. Y.

To Walter S. T. Dutcher:

The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order of Hon. Joseph M. Fowler, Ulster County Judge, dated November 4, 1925, and filed with the complaint in the office of the Clerk of the County of Ulster, at Kingston, New York.

Dated, November 4, 1925.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—In pursuance of an order of Hon. George F. Kaufman, Surrogate of Ulster County, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Edith C. Griffen, late of the City of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Richard L. Walker, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, at the office of Wilson M. Powell, No. 7 Wall street, Borough of Manhattan, city, county and state of New York, on or before the tenth day of March, 1926.

Dated, August 17th, 1925.

RICHARD L. WALKER,
Administrator &c., of Edith C. Griffen, deceased.

Wilson M. Powell, attorney for administrator, No. 7 Wall street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—In pursuance of an order of Hon. George F. Kaufman, Surrogate of Ulster County, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against C. Estelle Wood, late of the City of Kingston, County of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, William S. Wood, May E. Elmendorf and George D. Wood, the Administrators of the estate of said deceased, at their residence, No. 100 Foxhall Avenue, in the said City of Kingston, on or before the 20th day of January, 1926.

Dated, July 20, 1925.

WILLIAM S. WOOD,
MAY E. ELMENDORF,
GEORGE D. WOOD,
Administrators

T. E. COCHELETTER, Attorney, Kingston, N. Y.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Rondout National Bank of Kingston, for the election of Directors will be held at the banking house, 20 Ferry Street in the City of Kingston, on Tuesday, January 12, 1926, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 12 noon.

H. D. FAGNER,
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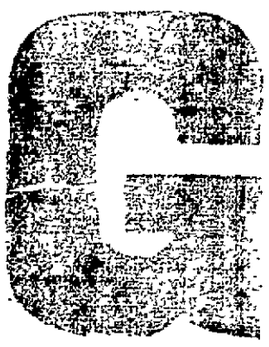

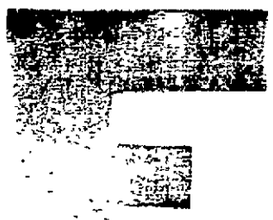

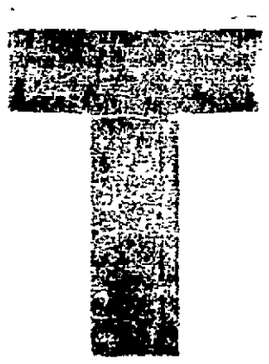

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Everything for the Man

Sponsors Public Building Bill

Washington, Dec. 15.—In an effort to relieve congestion in American postoffices and federal courts, Senator Warren, Republican of Wyoming, chairman of the senate appropriations committee, today sponsored a bill authorizing the expenditure of $26,300,000 on new public buildings.

The bill will be pressed by administration leaders for early enactment. The secretary of the treasury would have charge of the expenditures.

Of the amount authorized $7,900,000 would be expended on buildings already authorized but not yet under contract while $18,400,000 would be spent on projects where only the sites have been authorized.

Among the cities benefited, although the specific amounts would be fixed later by the secretary of the treasury is Manchester, Conn.

Automobile Club Elects Officers

(Continued from Page One.)

that a membership committee be appointed. On his motion it was decided to form a membership committee with a chairman in each town and city ward, and the president was empowered to appoint such chairmen, they to select their own committee. President Simpkins announced that the chairmen would be named by him later.

Treasurer's Report.

The report of Treasurer Ward B. Everett was read and adopted as follows:

Cash on Hand.

December 15, 1924. ..	$ 302.61
Received from Dr Meinhardt, secretary, from December 15, 1924, to December 14, 1925 ...	$1,720.00
Total	$2,022.61

Disbursements.

Sign work	$ 189.28
New York State Association, Dues, etc..... ...	531.25
Legislative	102.99
Printing, stationery and office expenses	234.37
Cigars for annual meeting	16.18
Secretary's salary	250.00
Maps and guides.....	383.00
Meetings Club and State Association	256.00
Total	$1,963.37
Balance	$ 59.24
Cash on hand, Kingston Trust Company	59.24
Deposited in Kingston Trust Company Savings Account with interest to October 1, 1925.....	334.67
Deposited in Kingston Savings Bank with interest to October 1, 1925	212.05
Deposited in Ulster County Savings Institution with interest to October 1, 1925	286.51
Total	$ 892.47

TROOPS SENT TO PROTECT LIVES OF JAPANESE.

Tokio, Dec. 15.—The Japanese war department issued a statement today explaining the sending of two battalions of troops to Korea and four to Kurume was to bring Japan's Manchurian forces to nominal strength. These troops, according to the statement, will act only to protect Japanese lives and property and to guard the railway zone.

The war department declared the dispatching of troops to these points did not mean that Japan had departed from its policy of neutrality.

Clam Chowder Sale.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Reformed Church of the Comforter will hold a clam chowder sale at the parish house Friday morning at 11:30 o'clock.

Will Dance Tonight.

The Sons and Daughters of Liberty, No. 124, will hold a dance at the Y. W. C. A. Hall on Henry street this evening. Zucca will furnish the music.

The Greater Guilt!

The plea of ignorance is no excuse in law. Nor does ignorance save the wrong-doer who is striving in the battle of life. The sorrow, the shame, the untold misery that human beings suffer as a penalty for ignorance is appalling—especially when clean, wholesome knowledge about life is now so easy to obtain.

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Coolidge Sends In Nominations

Washington, Dec. 15.—President Coolidge today sent to the senate a large number of nominations, including new federal attorneys, marshals, collectors and postmasters.

Among them was the nomination of Robert W. Gallagher to be postmaster at Buffalo.

The nomination of Edward G. Conde to be postmaster at Schenectady, N. Y., also was sent to the senate.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Elmer J. Conklin.

Utica, N. Y., William E. Philleo.

To be judge advocate general of the navy with rank of rear admiral, Captain Edward H. Campbell.

To be engineer in chief and chief of the bureau of engineering, rank of rear admiral, Captain John Halligan, Jr.

To be paymaster general and chief of the bureau of supplies and accessories, rank of rear admiral, Pay Director Charles Morris.

United States district attorneys:

William A Degrott, for the eastern district of New York.

United States marshals:

William J Keville for Massachusetts.

Alfred J. Chretien, New Hampshire

O'Mahony Gets Life Sentence

Bridgeport, Conn., Dec. 15.—James B. O'Mahony, slayer of his sweetheart Miss Beatrice Donnelly, of New York, pleaded guilty to second degree murder in the superior court here this morning. Judge E. C. Dickenson immediately sentenced him to life imprisonment.

O'Mahony, a British army veteran, went to Greenwich, April 5 last, with Miss Donnelly ostensibly for a day's outing in the country. While the couple were walking in Bruce Park O'Mahony without warning shot his sweetheart dead. Then O'Mahony, walked into Greenwich police headquarters and told of his crime.

HSIANG AND SOVIET RUSSIA SIGN TREATY

Shanghai, Dec. 15.—General Feng-Yuh-Hsiang and Soviet Russia have signed a treaty for a military and political alliance under which the Soviet government will be established in northwestern China according to a dispatch to the Chinese newspaper Sin-Wan-Pao today.

The treaty provides that Feng and Russia will support each other in the event either is attacked by a third power.

General Feng was last reported leading his armies against those of General Chang-Tso-Lin with whom he is fighting for the possession of Tientsin.

BLACK RIVER CANAL LANDS FOR STATE PARKS

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 15.—Abandoned Black river canal lands may be set apart for state park purposes, by the state land board, Attorney General Ottinger ruled today. The land board cannot act, however, until the state council of parks certifies the abandoned canal lands are suitable for park purposes.

The Black river canal extends from Rome, Oneida county, to Carthage, Jefferson county, and skirts a large section of the Adirondack park.

PRATT AN ACTIVE MAN.

Congressman's Numerous Activities Enumerated In Directory.

Director of many business enterprises, banker of many years' standing and public servant for the last 20 years, is the record of Representative Harcourt J. Pratt, of this district, according to his biographical sketch as it appears in the Directory of the Sixth-ninth Congress.

The sketch follows:

Harcourt J. Pratt, Republican of Highland; born October 23, 1866, in Highland, Ulster county, N. Y.; educated in public schools and Claverack Academy; married Marie E. Hasbrouck, of Humeston, Iowa; director of First National Bank of Highland and Kingston Trust Company, president of Kingston Lumber Corporation, Hudson Lumber Corporation, Beacon Lumber and Coal Company, Marlborough Manufacturing and Supply Company, and George W. Pratt and Son of Highland; served three terms as supervisor from town of Lloyd, Ulster county, and one term as member of New York State Assembly, in 1897; has been for many years member and president of Highland Board of Education; Mason, Elk and Granger; elected to Sixty-ninth Congress, receiving 35,794 votes to 30,805 for William C. DeWitt, Democrat and 2,447 for Doris Fenelson, Socialist

Taken Ill at Elks' Club.

Max Stein, member of the Portland, Oregon, Lodge of Elks, who has been stopping at the Elks' Club, Fair street, for some time, on Monday night was suddenly taken ill with what was said to be a acute indigestion. Dr Frederick Snyder was called and took Mr. Stein to the Kingston City Hospital for treatment and care.

Auto Struck Bicycle.

Ira Ellsworth of No. 14 Wilbur avenue reported to the police Monday that his car had struck a bicycle ridden by George Diehl of 24 Prospect street, damaging the wheel. The boy was not injured.

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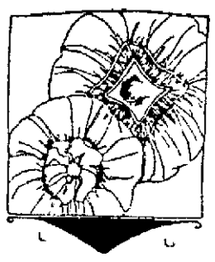
Novelty weave tubular Rayon Silk in pink, white, sapphire, orchid, maize. Just hem top and bottom add ribbon straps and one has a lovely Vest for personal use or for a gift.

SILK Rayon PILLOWS
$2.98



In many different colors in round, oval and oblong shapes. Daintily flower trimmed and filled with Silk Floss. A $3.50 value.
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Candlesticks
79c PAIR
Very attractive Polychrome finish sticks in square shape. 12 inch decorated candles. Colors are buff, blue and rose. Candles burn without smoke or odor.

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A feather weight raincoat of transparent fabric in gay red, green and purple. Smartly tailored with convertible collar and strapped cuffs. The latest whim of rainy day fashion.

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Misses Wool Gloves 69c pair
You won't find any better for $1.00. Warm wool gloves in gauntlet styles. 12 to 14 inches long to come well up over the coat sleeve. Heather, Bluette, Camel and Brown.

Milosheen Bloomers $2.25
Select your gifts now from these fine quality bloomers. Always an appreciated gift from one woman to another. Soft, fine texture Milosheen with rich Satin lustre. Shaped for comfort and sized extra full. Garter cuff styles. Lovely shades.—Knit Underwear Dep't.

DEMONSTRATION of HUDNUT'S TOILETRIES
—FREE SAMPLES!

Another Mystery Tobacco Fire

Springfield, Mass., Dec. 15.—Fire of mysterious origin today destroyed a large tobacco shed at Ellington, Conn., the twelfth mystery fire in warehouses and sheds in the tobacco fields in the last two months, with a total loss of half a million dollars.

Convinced that a firebug is at work in the district, State Police of Massachusetts and Connecticut were engaged in a joint hunt for the culprit.

Today's fire was in the shed owned by Morris Silverbez in which was stored 750 bales of broad leaf tobacco owned by Seltzer Glassman of Hartford. The damage was estimated at $20,000.

INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC CONFERENCE PLANNED

Geneva, Dec. 15.—Tentative plans for an international economic conference, which might run parallel to the proposed disarmament conference, were discussed by the League of Nations council this afternoon.

The council decided to appoint a preparatory committee of experts charged with drawing up a suggested agenda for such a conference and making recommendations for the composition and date of a conference.

The United States, as the world's wealthiest nation, will be invited to attend this conference.

SNEIDER HELD FOR GRAND JURY ON LARCENY CHARGE

Sergeant Lockhardt of the State Troopers and Deputy Sheriffs Anderson V. Ellsworth and Edward Gaynor on Monday evening arrested John Sneider on a warrant obtained by Dr. J. W. Blakeley from Judge S. S. Carpenter at Highland. He is charged with grand larceny in the first degree and also in the second degree. Waiving examination before Judge Carpenter, Sneider was held to await the action of the grand jury and in default of bail was brought to the Ulster county jail. Sneider, who is a married man with children, was employed as the distributing agent for the Ulster Gas & Oil Company. It is alleged he has failed to make a satisfactory accounting of funds of the company.

In the News of the Day

AGUSTIN EDWARDS

DUKE of MANCHESTER

LEOPOLD AMERY

GOV. VIC DONAHEY

Augustin Edwards, former Chilean Ambassador to the Court of St. James, is expected to be the new Envoy to the United States from Chile. The Duke of Manchester, who has gone into the moving picture business at Manchester, England, says American films at present are infinitely preferable to the British. Leopold Amery, British Colonial Secretary, says England is ready to fight for her Mosul rights. Governor Donahey, of Ohio, has ordered a housecleaning at the State University, where bootlegging and drinking bouts have been reported rife.

SPECIAL CONSTABLES BLOCKED AT BELFAST.

Belfast, Dec. 15.—The special constabulary received orders against the order to disarm.

Members of the constabulary occupied the city barracks, excelled the officers and took possession of the arms.

The result was said to be a protest against the provisions of the Anglo-Irish treaty providing a £20,000,000 [illegible] compensation for a unemployed do not exceed at Londonderry and Ballycastle.

"HILLIE" ALSO MAKES HIT WITH MAYOR HYLAN

New York, Dec. 15.—Hillie Jean Dam, famous fiddler who made such a hit with Henry Ford made a hit with Mayor Hylan today.

The spry old chap, fiddle tucked under his arm, visited the mayor's office and, upon request played "Dipping Waves," the Devil's Dream, and other nifty melodies.

In less than five minutes he had the whole crowd in the mayor's office dancing. They all voted Hillie is the "goods." So did the mayor.

Jury Fails to Indict Bennett

White Plains, N. Y., Dec. 15.—The Westchester county grand jury today refused to indict Dr. James C. Bennett, prominent eye specialist of Yonkers, on charge that he sought to influence one of the jurors in the recent unsuccessful annulment suit brought by Leonard Kip Rhinelander against his colored wife.

Rumors that Mrs. Rhinelander and Leonard had been reunited in Florida were spiked today by the colored wife's attorney, Samuel Swinburne.

Declaring that Alice never left the state after winning the sensational annulment suit, Swinburne said she is now at her home in New Rochelle. Efforts to confirm this at the Jones home were fruitless.

AWARD MOSUL TO IRAK UNDER BRITISH MANDATE.

Geneva, Dec. 15.—Mosul will be awarded to Irak, under a British mandate, providing Great Britain extends its Irak mandate for twenty five years, under the terms of a decision agreed upon in a secret session of the League of Nations council, it was learned today.

Immediately after announcement of the decision, England will enter Turkey direct negotiations for settlement of economic questions involving Mosul.

Hon. Peter A. Porter, Jr. Dies.

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 15.—The Hon. Peter A. Porter, Jr., nationally known in political and hydro-electric circles, died here today from heart trouble. He was 72 years old, son of General Peter B. Porter.

Dangerous Bronchitis

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Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

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DOLLY'S BIRTHDAY

The Queen of the Fairies had just heard about it. She was delighted.

There Was a New Dress.

Dolly was about to have a birthday, and she would be called, all day long, the Queen of the Day.

The Queen of the Fairies thought that nothing could be nicer than having Dolly, one of her special pets, as the Queen of a whole day—and that day her birthday.

Everyone in Fairyland sent Dolly messages. She didn't quite know, or rather, she was not quite sure that they had come from Fairyland.

And yet it seemed to her that all day long there came all sorts of extra happy thoughts and little gay messages and lovely little tingling moments of additional pleasure—these were the messages from Fairyland.

And then came the hour for the family party. Only the members of the family came to it. There was a little table decorated with ferns and flowers and upon it was a cake and presents and brightly wrapped packages.

Such gay ribbons were on the presents. Such funny, odd-sized candles on the cake, for the rule in Dolly's home was that the candles should be saved from birthday to birthday.

That was what they all liked. They loved the candles, some of them burnt down more than others, some bending a little, some having melted too much.

They would not have liked all straight, even candles, just the same size.

On the back of Dolly's chair was a huge ribbon and a wreath for her head.

And then came the opening of the presents. There was a new dress.

There were some nice little cups and saucers which she did so want.

There was a soap bowl all for her very own.

There was a pretty new hat which would be so nice if ever she was invited motoring, and she did love an automobile and she did love invitations. She knew she would have plenty of use for the hat! She had gone motoring a great deal the year before. She had high hopes of this year, too.

There was a box of powder to use after her bath—smelling quite a little of violets.

There was a box of chocolates and a box of nuts and a few nice pencils and several pads. She always liked plenty of pencils. In fact, no matter how many pencils she seemed to have, she always wanted more.

They rang a bell in honor of her birthday. They led her to the table with great ceremony and dignity. And then before she opened all these nice presents a poem was read.

This was the poem:

Oh, Dolly dear, we love you,
Oh, Dolly dear, we mean it.
Oh, Dolly dear, it must be so
That you have surely seen it.

Oh, Dolly dear, we need you,
Oh, Dolly dear, we kiss you,
Oh, Dolly dear, when you're away,
We do so sadly miss you.

Oh, Dolly dear, we hug you,
Oh, Dolly dear, we pet you,
Oh, Dolly dear, we surely hope,
That we may never fret you.

So, many happy returns of the day.
As we conclude this little lay,
With the words we are unable
To do justice to this table.

Nice Little Cups and Saucers.

For the Queen of the Fairies had sent word that the Dream King had said that the words "unable," and "lay," and "table" would feel sad if they were not in Dolly's birthday poem.

Sting of the Situation

"Hallo, Tyson, old fellow! How are you getting on?" asked a man, meeting in the street an acquaintance, who, mainly for want of something better to do, had recently gone on the stage.

"Oh, I have played with a measure of success," replied the other loftily, throwing himself into a dramatic posture. "I played Hamlet for the first time last week."

"Really? And how did you get on in that role?"

"Oh, everything went along splendidly, except that I stumbled and fell into Ophelia's grave."

"That must have been rather embarrassing, surely?"

"It was, I can assure you. But I wouldn't have minded so much if the audience hadn't seemed so disappointed when I got out."

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GAS BUGGIES—It Looks Kind of Bad For Amy.

The KITCHEN CABINET

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It is a great step gained when one has shaken off the bondage of feeling obliged to comprehend at once everything that one admires. —Martha Baker Dunn.

GOOD THINGS TO EAT

A nice plum pudding which is good to have on hand is the following:

Plum Pudding.—Take one quart of milk, nine milk crackers, one-half cupful each of molasses and sugar, one cupful of raisins; soak overnight and in the morning add spices, a little salt, two well-beaten eggs and just flour enough with two teaspoonfuls of baking powder to make a good batter. Steam four hours. Warm up when needed and serve with any good pudding sauce.

Boiled Dinner.—Take a pound or two of corned beef, a half-pound of fat salt pork, fresh pork or hocks, and put to cook in cold water, with a kettle full of water. Cook for an hour or two after reaching the simmering point before adding the following vegetables: Slices of rutabagas, small carrots, a cabbage head or two (plenty of cabbage is always liked); cook for an hour or two before adding the potatoes. Then cook another hour. Onions may be added if liked (a half dozen small ones), making another vegetable, and the flavor seasons the whole. Serve the sliced rutabagas around the edge of the large platter, then the onions, making another row; then the cabbage with the carrots radiating from that, topping all with the meat. Such a dish will be good for dinner, and will reheat as hash, making a most tasty luncheon dish. The soup may be saved and served reheated for the beginning of another meal. Cooked beets, chopped and added to the hash, will make a change in flavor and coloring.

Tamales.—Boil a fowl until tender, salt and season with onion or garlic while cooking. Remove the meat from the bones and chop fine, add a bit of garlic and a generous quantity of cayenne pepper. Make a thick paste of corn meal, salt and boiling water. Form the meat into rolls the size of the finger and incase each in the cornmeal paste. Wrap each tamale in the inner husk of corn, tie with a strip of corn husk and drop the tamales into chicken stock to cook with two or three Mexican peppers. Cook fifteen minutes. Serve piping hot.

Nellie Maxwell

CURRENT OFFERINGS AT THE THEATRES

"The Best People," a Sidney Olcott production for Paramount, featuring Warner Baxter, Esther Ralston, Kathlyn Williams, a screen version of the Broadway stage hit by that name is the feature at the Keeney Theatre today and Wednesday. The short features are the Keeney News, Whirligig, and the comedy "Head Over Heels."

"The Man on the Box" based on the Harold MacGrath novel and play produced by Warner Brothers and starring Syd Chaplin, is the feature playing at the Opera House today and Wednesday.

At the Orpheum Theatre tonight and Wednesday a double feature bill is the program. Harry Carey is seen in the photoplay "Beyond the Border" and Gloria Grey heads an all star cast in "Heartless Husbands."

"Love and Glory," with Charles De Roche is the attraction tonight at the Auditorium. There is a fine cast in this photoplay.

ALLIGERVILLE.

Alligerville, Dec. 14—Mr. and Mrs Abe Crose left for the south Monday morning.

The members of the Ladies' Aid spent a delightful afternoon with Mrs. Trowbridge at her home in Kyserike Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. DeWitt attended the funeral of Mrs. Mary Anderson in Rosendale Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary H. Krom, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Archer Dean in Ridgefield Park, N. J., returned Saturday.

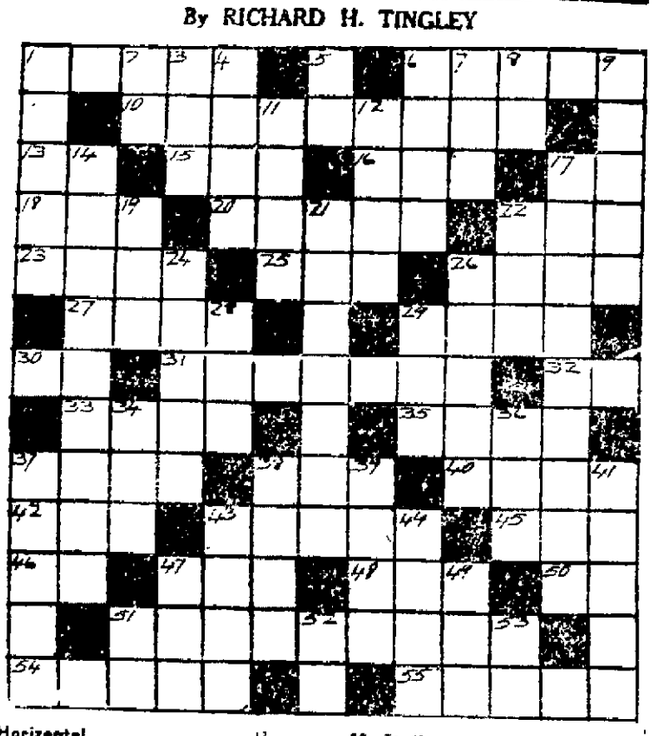
Joseph Bogart is making some improvements in his residence. Henry Decker, contractor from Rosendale, is doing the work.

A new chimney has been built on the outside of the K. of P. Hall which will enable them to have two stoves and thoroughly warm the large room which is filled every Saturday night.

A Klan meeting will be held in the K. of P. Hall Wednesday evening.

The Daily Cross Word Puzzle

By RICHARD H. TINGLEY



Horizontal

1—Look pleasant
6—He who discovered the North Pole
10—Apart from the others
13—Termination indicating past tense
15—To spread mown grass to dry
16—Prefix: "bad"
17—Father
18—An epoch
20—Hardened juice of some trees
22—Owns
23—Boys
25—Forward movement of the head
26—The death
27—To be gloomy
29—Whales
30—Mother
31—Null; void
32—Sixth musical note
33—To look after or wait upon
35—To refute
37—Things heaped one on another
38—To solicit aid
40—Not very good nor bad
42—To inquire
43—Place of departed spirits
45—Incline
46—The thing referred to
47—Coal by-product
48—Witty saying
50—Seventh musical note
51—Play
54—The things referred to
56—To let go

Vertical

1—Compound of steel and carbon
2—Possesses actuality
3—To rent or be leased
4—Always
5—Otherwise
6—A working drawing
7—An addition to a house
8—Eternality
9—Useful fungus growth
11—The original garden
12—In the center of
14—A writer of plays
17—Loss of power of the muscles
19—Rustic
21—Comforted
22—High temperature
24—Back-bone
26—Ancient peoples whose laws, like those of the Persians, were unchangable
28—Termination
29—Spain's most renowned hero
34—Large American deer
36—An expression of denial
37—The bloom on the girl's cheek
38—Devoid of covering
39—Precious things
41—To think
43—To possess
44—The ground
47—Contraction of "It is"
49—Also
51—To cheat or trick
52—Symbol: "radium"
53—A negative expression

The solution will appear tomorrow

Solution of yesterday's puzzle.

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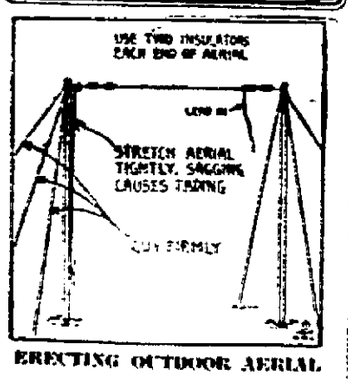
The Radio Column



ERECTING OUTDOOR AERIAL

Use Two Good Insulators at Each End of Wire.

F. M. RUSSELL.

Many fans buy the best parts procurable and spend considerable time and thought in selecting an efficient circuit and building the receiver, yet when it comes to the aerial, they simply string a wire between two poles and bring it down to receiver. Little thought is given to getting the utmost efficiency out of the aerial. It is well worth the time spent in putting up an efficient aerial and this and succeeding articles will show you how to do it.

Stranded enameled copper wire is probably the best wire to use, although 12 or 14 gauge solid copper wire makes a very good aerial also. The enamel keeps the wire from corroding and as radio frequency currents travel outside this wire, it means that it will keep its efficiency longer than a bare wire.

At least two good quality glazed insulators should be used at each end of the wire. If only one insulator is used at each end, dust and dirt form a path along which the energy from the aerial can leak to earth and the distance and volume of the signals will be considerably reduced.

The great majority of stations are located in the East and West and an aerial erected pointing in this direction will bring in more stations than will one pointing North and South.

Either iron or wood poles can be used. If good insulators are used iron pipe will be quite as good as wooden poles. Keep the aerial as far away as possible from any large bodies of metal or trees, for these will absorb the energy before it reaches the aerial.

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Cleaning Fireplace

If the brick flooring in front of the fireplace becomes smoke-stained, mix two ounces of soda, one ounce of salt and one ounce pumice stone with sufficient water to form a creamy substance. Thoroughly rub the brick with this paste and allow it to remain a few minutes, then remove it with a stiff brush.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. George F. Kaufman, Surrogate of Ulster County, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Lewis S. Hoagland, late of the City of Kingston, County of Ulster, deceased, testate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, John F. Washburn, the Executor of the estate of said deceased, by presenting the same to his undersigned Attorney, at 26 Wall Street, in the said City of Kingston, Ulster County, N. Y., on or before the 21st day of December, 1925.
Dated, June 15, 1925.

JOHN F. WASHBURN, Executor.

HENRY S. DE WITT, Attorney, 26 Wall Street, Kingston, N. Y.

DAILY RADIO PROGRAM

(Compiled by United Press)

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15

Tuesday's Best Features

WBAL—Handel's "Messiah."
WCCO—Minneapolis Municipal Chorus.
WOAW—Band concert.
WJZ, WRC—U. S. Marine Band.
WEAF HOOK-UP—Joint program.

(All time schedules P. M. except that time after Midnight is denoted by heavy figures.)

(Eastern and Central Stand. Time)

(EST) (CST)

CFAC, CALGARY—435.9
10:15 9:15—Male Quartet; Trio.

CKCL, TORONTO—356.9
7:00 6:00—Old Mill Orchestra.
8:00 7:00—Grace Church Choir.
9:30 8:30—Musical hour.
10:30 9:30—Royal Society Orchestra

CNRA, MONCTON—291.1
7:00 6:00—Juvenile program.
8:00 7:00—Moncton Artists.
10:00 9:00—CNRA Orchestra

CNRR, REGINA—475.9
10:00 9:00—Studio program.

CNRV, VANCOUVER, B. C.—291.1
10:30 9:30—Bedtime stories
11:30 10:30—Women's quartet.
1:30 12:30—Belmont Orchestra.

KDKA, EAST PITTSBURGH—309.1
6:30 5:30—KDKA Little Symphony.
8:30 7:30—World cruise.
9:00 8:00—KDKA Little Symphony.
11:35 10:35—Grand Theatre

KFAB, LINCOLN, NEB.—340.6
6:30 5:30—Dinner concert.
9:00 8:00—U. of Nebr. musicale.

KGO, OAKLAND—361.2
9:00 8:00—Dinner concert.
11:00 10:00—Special concert.
1:00 12:00—Dance program.

KGW, PORTLAND—491.5
11:00 10:00—Educational program.
1:00 12:00—Dance music.

KHJ, LOS ANGELES—405.2
9:00 8:00—Stories: Dinner music.
11:00 10:00—DeLuxe program.
1:00 12:00—Dance program.

KOA, DENVER—322.4
8:30 7:30—Dinner concert.

KPO, SAN FRANCISCO—423.3
9:40 8:40—Orchestral music.
11:00 10:00—Concert programs.
1:00 12:00—Coakley's Orchestra.

KPRC, HOUSTON—296.9
6:30 5:30—Children's stories.
8:30 7:30—Mack's Orchestra.
9:30 8:30—Studio program.

KSD, ST. LOUIS—545.1
7:55 6:55—Program from WEAF.

KTHS, HOT SPRINGS—374.8
10:00 9:00—Accordion novelties.
10:20 9:20—New Arlington Orchestra.

KYW, CHICAGO—535.4
7:00 6:00—Congress dinner music.
8:05 7:05—Stories: Speeches.
9:00 8:00—Studio program.
2:00 1:00—Insomnia Club

WBAL, BALTIMORE—374.8
8:00 7:00—Handel's "Messiah."

WBAP, FORT WORTH—475.9
7:00 6:00—Dinner music.
8:30 7:30—Musical program.
10:30 9:30—Concert.

WBZ, SPRINGFIELD, MASS.—333.1
6:30 5:30—KDKA dinner music.
7:30 6:30—Kimball Dance Orchestra.
8:00 7:00—Hockey, Bruins-Ottawa.
10:00 9:00—Weather and reports.

WCAE, PITTSBURGH—461.3
6:30 5:30—Dinner concert.
7:30 6:30—Program from WEAF.
11:00 10:00—Harrison's Orchestra.

WCBD, ZION, ILL.—344.8
9:00 8:00—Bells and soloists

WCCO, MINNEAPOLIS-ST. PAUL—416.4
6:30 5:30—Children's hour.
7:15 6:15—Dinner concert.
8:30 7:30—Program from WEAF.
10:00 9:00—Mpls. Municipal Chorus.

WDAF, KANSAS CITY—365.6
7:00 6:00—School of the Air.
12:45 11:45—Nighthawk Frolic.

WEAF, NEW YORK—491.5
6:00 5:00—Waldorf Orchestra.
7:00 6:00—Recital; Lecture.
7:30 6:30—Clyde Doerr's Octet.
8:00 7:00—Talk; Musical program.
8:30 7:30—Twin entertainers.
9:00 8:00—Eveready Hour.
10:00 9:00—Your Hour; Orchestra.
11:00 10:00—Dance music.

WEAO, COLUMBUS—293.9
9:00 8:00—Chimes and concert.

WEAR, CLEVELAND—389.4
7:00 6:00—State Theate.
8:00 7:00—Program from WEAF.
11:00 10:00—Wormack's Orchestra.

WEEI, BOSTON—348.6
6:45 5:45—Big Brother; Lectures.
8:00 7:00—Program from WEAF.

WFAA, DALLAS—475.9
7:30 6:30—Bestor's Orchestra
9:30 8:30—Music: Bridge lesson.
12:00 11:00—Foxtrotters' Orchestra.

WFBG, ALTOONA—277.8
6:30 5:30—Dinner music.
8:30 7:30—Penn Central Night.
11:15 10:15—Mirthful Moments.

WFI, PHILADELPHIA—394.5
6:30 5:30—Rotary Club dinner.
8:00 7:00—Program from WEAF.

WGHP, DETROIT—270
8:00 7:00—Skylark Dance Band.

WGN, CHICAGO—370.2
7:00 6:00—Organ; Dinner music.
9:30 8:30—Classic hour.
11:30 10:30—Jazz scamper.

WGR, BUFFALO—319.0
6:30 5:30—Statler Orchestra.
8:00 7:00—Program from WEAF.

WGY, SCHENECTADY—379.5
6:30 5:30—Santa Claus.
7:30 6:30—Talk; Violin recital.
8:15 7:15—Elmer Tidmarsh, organ.
9:00 8:00—WGY Orchestra.
10:00 9:00—WJZ's Grand Tour.
10:30 9:30—Tupman's Orchestra.

WHAS, LOUISVILLE—399.8
8:30 7:30—Zoeller's Melodists

WHB, KANSAS CITY—365.6
8:00 7:00—Organ recital.
9:00 8:00—Popular music.

WHO, DES MOINES—526.0
8:30 7:30—Raleigh quintet
9:00 8:00—WHO Trio.
12:00 11:00—WHO Little Symphony.

WIP, PHILADELPHIA—508.2
6:00 5:00—Weather; Dinner music.
6:45 5:45—Markets; Uncle Wip.
8:00 7:00—Talk, Violin recital.
9:00 8:00—Shapp Quartet; EMO.
10:30 9:30—Joe Ray's Orchestra.

WJAR, PROVIDENCE—305.9
7:30 6:30—Musical program.
8:30 7:30—Program from WEAF.

WJR, DETROIT—516.9
7:00 6:00—Petite Symphony.
9:00 8:00—Serenaders.

WJY, NEW YORK—405.2
7:30 6:30—Ambassador Trio.
8:10 7:10—The Texans.
8:30 7:30—Hockey game.

WJZ, NEW YORK—454.3
6:30 5:30—NYU course; Dog talk.
7:30 6:30—U. S. Marine Band.
8:30 7:30—Bonime's Ensemble.
10.00 9:00—WJZ's Grand Tour.
10:30 9:30—Tupman's Orchestra

WKRC, CINCINNATI—422.3
11:00 10:00—Dance program.
12:00 11:00—Roehr's Orchestra.

WLS, CHICAGO—344.6
7:15 6:15—Announcements; Organ.
8:00 7:00—Lullaby; WLS Trio.

WLW, CINCINNATI—422.3
7:00 6:00—Santa; Art Gillham.
8:00 7:00—Feature musical program.
9:00 8:00—WLW Burnt Corkers.
10:00 9:00—Stocas Concert Orchestra.

WMAQ, CHICAGO—447.5
7:00 6:00—Organ and orchestra.
9:00 8:00—Columbia School concert.

WMBF, MIAMI BEACH—384.4
7:00 6:00—Dinner music.
10:00 9:00—Dance music.

WNAC, BOSTON—280.3
6:00 5:00—Smilers. Dinner dance.
7.45 6:45—Theatre broadcast.
8:15 7:15—American Orchestra.

WOAW, OMAHA—526.0
6:45 5:45—Sandman; Orchestra.
7:50 6:50—String quintet.
10:00 9:00—Tangier Temple Band.
11:10 10:10—Radio review; Orchestra.
1:00 12:00—Midnite alarm.

WOC, DAVENPORT—483.6
7:30 6:30—Sandman; Farm talk.
8:30 7:30—Program from WEAF.
10:00 9:00—"Around the World."
10:45 9:45—Crescent Orchestra.

WOR, NEWARK—405.2
6:15 5:15—Santa Claus; Sports.
6:37 5:37—Stories; Dinner music.

WPG, ATLANTIC CITY—299.8
6:45 5:45—Organ; Morton Trio.
8:15 7:15—Plaza Artists.
9:00 8:00—Chalfonte-Haddon Trio.
11:00 10:00—McKnight's Orchestra.

WRC, WASHINGTON—468.5
6:00 5:00—Dinner music; Reports.
7:30 6:30—U. S. Marine Band.
8:30 7:30—Bonime's Ensemble.
10:00 9:00—WJZ's Grand Tour.
10:30 9:30—Tupman's Orchestra.
11:30 10:30—WRC Entertainers.
12:00 11:00—Le Paradis Band.

WSAI, CINCINNATI—325.9
7:30 6:30—Program from WEAF.
8:00 7:00—Lawson's Orchestra.
9:00 8:00—Program from WEAF.
10:00 9:00—Bridge game.
10:30 9:30—Hawaiian music.

WSB, ATLANTA—428.3
9:00 8:00—Concert.
11:45 10:45—Late program.

WTAG, WORCESTER—257.7
8:00 7:00—Program from WEAF.

WTIC, HARTFORD—475.9
6:30 5:30—Dinner music.
7:00 6:00—Thomas McGill, baritone.
8:00 7:00—Female, male and string quartets.
9.30 8:30—Organ recital.

WWJ, DETROIT—352.7
6:00 5:00—Dinner concert.
8:00 7:00—Program from WEAF.

(U.P.)

TUESDAY'S SILENT STATIONS:
WCAP, WBAV, CNRE, CNRM, CNRO, CNRT, CNRC, CNRW, WSUI, WSM, WOS, WIL, WAHG.

(U.P.)

FIFTH BINNEWATER.

Fifth Binnewater, Dec. 14.—Fred Jordan and son Stanley, were calling on Jacob Freer Sunday.

James Oakley has been sawing wood for Luther Keator the past week.

Mrs. Dewitt Davenport spent Monday with friends in Rosendale.

Mrs. Bert Pine was calling on Mrs. Jacob Freer Wednesday.

Mrs. Muncy and daughter Ruth, were shoppers in Kingston one day last week.

Mrs. Jacob Freer, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chatterton and Mrs. Jaquin were business callers in Kingston during the week.

Friends from Cottekill called on Mrs. Walter Freer on Saturday afternoon.

The supply tank which has been located at the four corners below the Binnewater station for years was removed last week by the Standard Oil Company.

Mrs. James Castor spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Stokes in Kingston.

The school children are practicing for a little entertainment which will be given in the hall of the Cottekill Reformed Church on the evening of December 23. They are being trained by the teachers, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Emerick, who are planning a fine program. All are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulyses Moxon, Lewis Quick and Mrs. Koble of Poughkeepsie, spent part of Sunday with Mrs. Moxon's sister, Mrs. Walter Freer.

James Castor started working Thursday morning on the road between Kallop's Corners and the Cottekill station. All are very glad to know this road is being improved.

Ewald Bernbeck spent the week-end with relatives in Brooklyn. He was accompanied by Mrs. Theodore Menchen and son Frank.

Stanley Jordan spent the week-end with his parents.

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ST. REMY.

St. Remy, Dec. 14.—The Clover Class met with the Misses Dora and Ada Shultis last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Terpening are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Kidney of Middletown.

Miss Ardis Frost and Miss Ada Shultis were given a surprise birthday party last Friday evening.

The illustrated studies of Palestine will be given in the church on Thursday evening at the close of which the Clover Class will serve refreshments and a social hour enjoyed. All are invited.

The Improved Order of Red Men are taking in a number of new members and the lodge seems to be in a prosperous condition.

Mrs. Edgar Ellsworth spent a few days at Milton last week visiting friends.

IMPROVING LIVING ROOM IN FARM HOME

Living Room in Albemarle County (Virginia) Farmhouse.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Here is an example of what can be done at reasonable cost to improve a living room in a farmhouse. Mrs. Harry Miller of Free Union, Va., entered the Albemarle county living-room contest conducted under the direction of the extension division of the Virginia Polytechnic institute and the United States Department of Agriculture.

The room she decided to improve was originally a bedroom, small and rather dark, since both windows opened on porches. The partition between the room and the hall was taken out. This work was done by the woman herself. The walls and ceiling were painted a light cream, the woodwork and doors old ivory. The floor was cleaned and oiled. A seat was built in the corner by the fireplace. The mantelpiece was relieved of all ornament except the clock and a pair of candlesticks, containing blue candles. The open fireplace was painted black, also the andirons. The house is lighted by acetylene gas. The valances and side drapes at the windows are old rose with brown and tan figures. The cushions are blue and old rose. The seats of the two chairs were recovered with blue art denim. All of these improvements were accomplished at a total cost of $25.88.

By taking out superfluous ornaments or furnishings one frequently achieves the impression of space and airiness. Such an impression is evident in this room. It is worth while for any housekeeper to go over the various rooms of her home to see what could be eliminated to advantage, both in the care of the room and in its appearance.

LITTLE CAKES ARE DELICIOUS GIFTS

Keep Cookie Box Full During Christmas Vacation for Visitors.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Holiday cakes and cookies are always welcomed by the family during the Christmas school recess. As a last-minute gift a basket of little cakes, prettily iced, can be prepared by any housekeeper from ordinary materials, and yet carry with it the personal touch which means more than the expenditure of money.

The United States Department of Agriculture has tested the cake recipe and frostings given below. This cake, if baked in a shallow pan about 9 inches square, is well adapted to cutting up into small fancy shapes. At least 20 diamond-shaped cakes 1½ inches wide can be cut with little waste from the amount given. Other fancy shapes may, of course, be used. These little cakes may then be entirely covered with white or tinted icing and decorated with bits of candied cherries or cranberries, angelica, colored jellied grapefruit peel, or tinted watermelon rind preserve, citron, or nuts.

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Plain Cake.

2 tablespoonfuls fat	½ teaspoonful of lemon extract
½ cupful granulated sugar	1 teaspoonful of lemon juice
1 egg	1 teaspoonful vanilla
2-3 cupful milk	¾ teaspoonful of salt
1¾ cupfuls flour	
3¼ teaspoonfuls of baking powder	

Cream the fat, which may be butter, lard, vegetable fat, or oil, with the sugar. Add the egg well-beaten, the milk and flour alternately. Sift the baking powder and salt with one-fourth cupful of the flour, and fold in last, just after adding the flavoring. Bake in a 9-inch square pan, starting in a cool oven (about 330 degrees F.) for 20 minutes, gradually increasing the heat for 10 or 15 minutes till the cake is brown.

Cooked Frosting.

white of 1 egg	1 cupful of sugar
4 tablespoonfuls of cold water	¼ teaspoonful of salt

Place all in double boiler and beat with an egg beater until it holds its shape. Add salt and beat until thick enough to spread. Add one-half teaspoonful vanilla or other desired flavoring.

Chocolate frosting can be made in the same way by adding ½ square of chocolate, melted, to the sugar mixture when it starts to hold its shape. The frosting is beaten until thick and then spread. Vanilla may be used or omitted with the chocolate.

For caramel icing, half a cupful of sugar should be caramelized or browned in a pan, and an equal amount of boiling water added. Substitute 2 tablespoonfuls of this sirup in place of 2 tablespoonfuls of water and continue as in the foundation icing.

Uncooked Orange Icing.

2 egg whites, beaten stiff	1 tablespoonful orange juice
2 tablespoonfuls of cold water	¼ teaspoonful of salt
3½ cupfuls confectioner's (XXXX) sugar	½ tablespoonful lemon juice
	Grated rind of ½ large orange

Add the water to the egg white and beat with an egg beater until stiff. Add 3 cupfuls of sugar very gradually with a spoon. Add the grated rind and juice of the orange, the lemon juice and remainder of the sugar. Beat until smooth enough to spread. This amount should cover 5 sides of over 25 little cakes cut as above described.

A tin of Christmas cookies should be kept replenished for holiday visitors and especially for children. Any cookie recipe may be "dressed up" with red and green edible decorations and pieces of peanuts, almonds, walnuts, or pecans. Plain pastry paste or pie trimming makes excellent cookies when cut in fancy shapes and decorated. A thick coating of ground almonds pressed into the paste before cooking makes a particularly good "almond straw." Pie trimming in tiny rounds cut with a small-sized baking-powder can may be converted into delicious little tea cakes if brushed with egg yolk and sprinkled with granulated sugar, nuts, and small bits of candied fruit before baking. Cinnamon may also be used on the tops. Goodies like these may be easily prepared without encroaching too far on the busy mother's time.

Inaccurate Measurement Will Cause Poor Baking

"Why is my cake good one week and unsatisfactory next time, although I follow the same recipe?" is a question asked very often of home economics specialists. No answer can be given offhand, because many different factors are involved—the kind of materials used, the method of mixing, the temperature of the oven, and other considerations. But the chances are that among these factors the matter of accurate measurement is included: "following the recipe" may mean that the closely packed cupful of flour one day is a loosely filled cupful the next—that the baking powder spilled in the mixing bowl is "guessed" to be a teaspoonful, when it is really much more—or that some other inaccuracy in measurement accounts for a large part of the difference in results.

In modern cook books and in all farmers' bulletins issued by the United States Department of Agriculture all quantities are given in level measurements unless otherwise specified. Three teaspoonfuls equal a tablespoonful. Sixteen tablespoonfuls fill a standard cup—the kind marked off on the sides to show half and quarter cupfuls, and sometimes thirds. Four cupfuls make a quart.

Flour, except graham or whole wheat, should always be sifted once before measuring and then dipped lightly into the measure and leveled. If it is packed into the measure, too much will be used. A table knife or other straight edge should be used to level sugar, salt, flour and other dry ingredients.

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BLOOMINGTON.

Bloomington, Dec. 14. — On Wednesday evening of last week Mrs. William Hoffman was tendered a birthday party. The evening was much enjoyed in different ways. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Jaeger, Mrs. Don, Mrs. Ernest Grale, Mr. Miller, Mrs. C. Dambach and daughter, the Misses Elsie and Gertrude. Around midnight the host and hostess served refreshments after which the guests returned to their homes wishing Mrs. Hoffman many more happy returns of the day.

Dr. L. C. Rumph and wife have returned to their home after being away for over a month.

Mr. and Mrs. William Conro were called here one day of the past week owing to the illness and death of her mother, Mrs. Hotaling.

The Sunday school of the Reformed Church is making great preparations for its Christmas tree celebration which will be on Wednesday night, December 23. Quite an elaborate series of tableaux representing the birth of Christ will be enacted. As the church is now electrically lighted it will be worth seeing. A large crowd is expected. The entertainment commences at 7:30 o'clock.

The Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Every at two o'clock on Thursday afternoon of this week. Election of officers at this time. A large attendance is requested. New members and visitors cordially welcomed.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Dietz moved one day last week from George Hoffman's bungalow to Kingston.

Mrs. Annie Krom is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Willis Krom at St. Remy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Grale entertained callers from out of town on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin J. LeFever entertained friends and relatives one evening the past week.

The Rev. C. V. W. Bedford preached an interesting sermon on Sunday morning.

Bible class meeting will be held Wednesday evening at the church at 7:30 o'clock.

LANESVILLE.

Lanesville, Dec. 14.—The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. E. Kerr on Thursday afternoon with a good crowd in attendance.

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lane on the arrival of a fine baby boy.

David Crosby has installed a pipeless heater in his home.

Harry Lane has cut and delivered to New York city a fine Christmas tree, 40 feet high, for Mr. Bailey of Beechford. This is the third year he has succeeded in getting a fine tree.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Neil spent Monday evening at Harvey Lane's.

The Young People's Society, with the Rev. A. C. Skidmore as leader, met on Friday evening with Henrietta Lane.

George Lindsley of Poughkeepsie and Paul Jansen of New York spent Sunday with friends in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Lane and daughter, Marion, were Kingston visitors on Thursday.

Mrs. Asa Crosby, who teaches school at Hunterfield, was home over the week end.

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SCHOOL DAYS

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

By F. A. WALKER

MENTAL PERSPECTIVE

IT IS a good policy every little while to call up your invisible self and make a critical examination of your methods of work, whether you be a painter, a soldier or a statesman.

To do this successfully, you must fling aside everything that savors of egotism.

Summon all your strength of character and austerity.

Consider that you are about to quiz some vain competitor of whom you are envious and that, under no consideration will you spare worthy censure or praise.

Be as cold-hearted a critic as Herod was a king. Assume for the nonce that you possess indisputable knowledge of all there is in art, in drilling and in statecraft.

Survey yourself from a goodly distance. Get the true perspective of your creative make-up. In all likelihood you have been so close to that which you have been doing that you have not the slightest idea of how your work appears from a distance or in the eyes of others

Hundreds of men and women, gifted with brilliant talents, amply qualified in every way to perform work pleasing to their own eyes, fail every year in reaching their pictured goal, for the obvious reason that they lack mental perspective, or inability to observe themselves in a true light.

They see nothing beyond the tips of their noses They do not recognize their own thoughts, or if they do, they hesitate to give them free expansion, fearing that their name may be sullied with the crime of stealing.

Criticism from others often stirs bitter resentment.

On the other hand, such criticism as you may find with yourself, when the scolding mood seizes you, especially when it is accompanied with a full realization of your own frailties, can but arouse your noblest instincts and give you new inspiration and courage to wage the battle to a glorious and honorable end

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WHO SAID

"Wise men and gods are on the strongest side."

SIR CHARLES SEDLEY, author of the words quoted, led a wild and dissolute life as a young man. Later he refused to support the pretensions of James II for the throne of England because the monarch was of dissolute habits.

Sedley is known to fame in the world of letters as an able poet. The drama appealed especially to him and many of his works were presented to the public and received with considerable success.

The father, Sir John Sedley, died before the birth of his son and Sedley inherited his title. Thus, lack of paternal guidance, and in an over-indulgent mother, may be credited much of the wildness of Sir Charles' youthful life.

At an early age Sedley was entered at Wadham college, Oxford, and shortly after his graduation he was successful in his quest of a seat in parliament. His term of office began shortly after the Restoration and the young man stood high in the favor of Charles II. When the revolution occurred he favored it, in opposition to James II, on the ground that the latter had ruined his daughter, later the Countess of Dorchester.

Sedley was esteemed by his contemporaries for the wit and satire with which his dramatic works are replete.

Sedley's date of birth is generally fixed at 1639. He died in 1701.—Wayne D. McMurray.

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HAVE YOU THIS HABIT?

By MARGARET MORISON

JOHN FREEMAN

JOHN FREEMAN did not at the time know it, but about 7 p. m. on the 24th of December, 19—, he made the momentous decision of his life. Hurrying down one of the long streets of the city toward dinner at his usual little corner restaurant, he suddenly caught sight of a face that took him back twenty years. As John Freeman kept pace with the figure across the way, his mind raced in curious confusion Should he go over and speak? It would mean being later for his meal. They probably had nothing in common now—better let sleeping years lie. Then quite illogically he dashed through the traffic at a cross street, and touched the other on the shoulder. Eventually they had dinner together on John Freeman's invitation at John Freeman's special table in what he had come to consider his private little restaurant. It was many years since John Freeman had acted host.

Afterward he actually allowed himself to be persuaded to go to see a Christmas Eve street celebration.

An hour later on his way up the stairs to his two-rooms-and-bath, he passed the old woman who kept his apartment and the other apartments in the building clean He suddenly became conscious of the fact that from week to week he hardly set eyes on her.

"Merry Christmas!" he said with unwonted geniality.

"Thank you, sir!" said she evidently pleased.

Inside he found a letter. His sister back home had written to ask if he would find a decent boarding house for his nephew, a boy of sixteen, who had been offered a job in the city. John Freeman knew of such a place, the house where he himself had lived before prosperity made possible his present arrangement. As he stood with the letter in his hand, the clock struck ten. Afterward he always thought ten to have been the hour when he made his revolutionary decision; he would have Jack live with him. In reality, when at seven o'clock he had crossed the street to give an invitation to dinner, he had started a habit that three hours later only confirmed the habit of social-mindedness.

HAVE YOU THIS HABIT?

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THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY

The young lady across the way says she certainly believes in the 5-5-3 naval ratio, making only 13 battleships in all.

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The two-piece or jumper suit is in great demand, as it has been since last spring. But for colder weather the one-piece built of heavy material is more practical, and very fashionable, notes a fashion writer in the New York Times. Patou has designed for moderate winter weather some strikingly smart frocks of this type, in men's suitings. These are severely tailored, but are treated individually, with buttons, pocket flaps, revers and cuffs. Most of the models are buttoned down the middle front and belted with a narrow strap of the goods. In a design of wool mixture in beige and brown the upper part opens with long revers, is fastened with half a dozen buttons and belted below the waist. Two narrow dart-like tucks at each side give a slightly shaped effect. The frock is worn over a slip of ribbed silk which shows as a little vest at the top and a petticoat at the bottom. Patou has indulged his fancy for making sports suits in several other engaging designs, in some of which he accomplishes a slight flare in the skirt.

The slim, boyish line is in evidence in a simple frock of printed velva

Simple Frock of Printed Velva and Black Satin Crepe.

broche and black satin crepe. It has deep plaiting which gives the full skirt demanded of fashion.

The present version of the knitted frock is a jersey, which grows steadily in favor. The jumper frock of this woven material spells the last word in comfort, durability and grace. Its supple texture is most becoming to a slender figure and in itself is youthful when properly worn. In this jersey cloth some uncommonly smart models are shown. The colors are new and varied, as are the ways of handling the material, the flare, the godet, the plaited flounce. The bodice is usually slightly open at the neck, with a slight revers collar and string tie scarf. Patou, Lanvin and most of the French designers are adding pockets, some tiny, with little button flaps, some large and practical. A belt is invariably worn, made of the same material or of leather or metal.

Elaborate Bridal Veil; White Still in Favor

The new bridal veils are more ornate and considerably longer than their recent prototypes, notes a fashion writer in the New York Herald-Tribune. They are decidedly more partial to elaboration and frequently incorporate border designs, the smartest types of which are done this season in silk bonnax about three inches wide. White remains the almost universal color despite occasional influxes of flesh pink, which, however, is not favored at the smarter weddings.

Typical of the latest Paris ideas concerning this item of the bridal costume, one which accompanies a Lucien Lelong model, is characteristically ample and trails for many yards. It is formed of a shower of pure white tulle which is draped from a band of silver lace.

A Patou veil has flowing folds which are almost as numerous. It is cut on circular lines, has prolific insets of cream lace and is suspended from bands of pearls. Worth's veil is the conventional shower of white tulle cut on circular lines and entirely plain to conform with the straight simple lines of the wedding gown.

In an interesting arrangement of an old lace cap and a tulle veil the veil is held in place by means of an ornament consisting of pearls and orange blossoms.

Russian diadems in satin or silver lame embroidered with pearls are as popular as wreaths of orange blossoms to hold the bridal veil in place, at least when it is made of tulle. When rare old lace is used it is better to leave it entirely unadorned and draped flat across the forehead with perhaps a flower over each ear to hold the folds.

Eleanor Gwin Says

FILMY BLACK EVENING GOWNS HAVE SOMETHING OF THEIR OLD PRESTIGE, AND CIRCULAR APRONS ARE A BIG DEVELOPMENT

In collections which are being prepared and shown for the Riviera corresponding to our Palm Beach season, considerable stress is laid on crepes and fabrics of the alpaca family, these for the simpler type of day time dress. They are as you have guessed very frequently made in two pieces, and there is nearly always some fulness in the skirt. Front fulness occurs perhaps more often than other kinds, there being considerable partiality shown for circular fronts with straight backs. This effect results usually from an added apron or some such effect, often completely circular, and not infrequently, in the case of the more elaborate dresses, elaborately trimmed. Lace rather

The Be-Jeweled Evening Gown, and the Gold Lace Dinner Gown Lead the Fashion Parade.

naturally finds itself in demand for these effects, and is frequently added to chiffons. Novelty laces have the call, sometimes with scalloped or pointed edges, sometimes with straight ones either banded or bound, for one no longer considers it gilding the lily to embroider, bead or otherwise trim lace. A rather striking dinner gown shown in one of the best Venetian shops, boasting of French models was of black georgette, the long waist perfectly plain, sleeveless and cut with a deep V decolletage. The back of the dress was straight and untrimmed while the entire skirt, very short and circular, as viewed from the front was heavily embroidered with white embroidery floss with a large floral design centered and accented with pearls. It was a stunning restaurant frock, and although black has been minimized recently, it is once more being regarded with favor particularly after six. Black dinner gowns have to be flimy to meet present night requirements, the exception to this being black velvet. Sheer black laces are therefore in brisk demand made up often with flesh, bisque or white, but quite often unrelieved by color.

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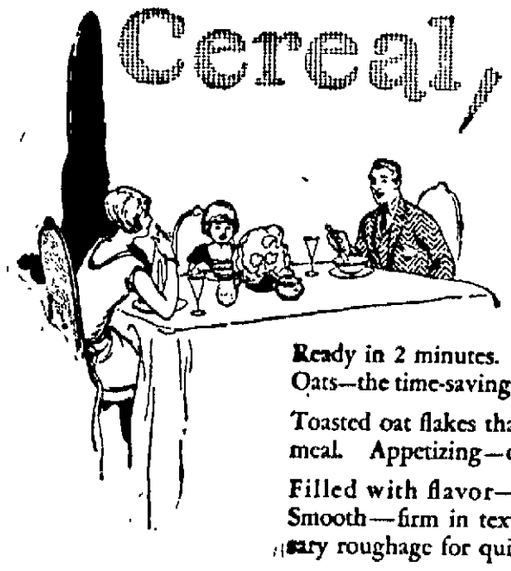

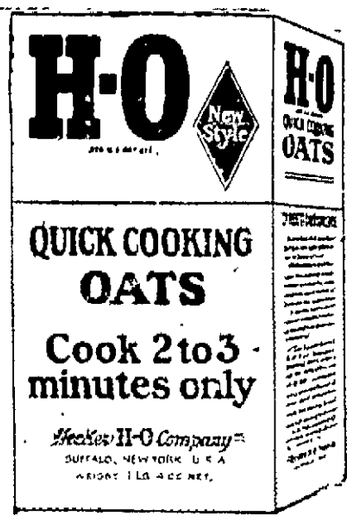

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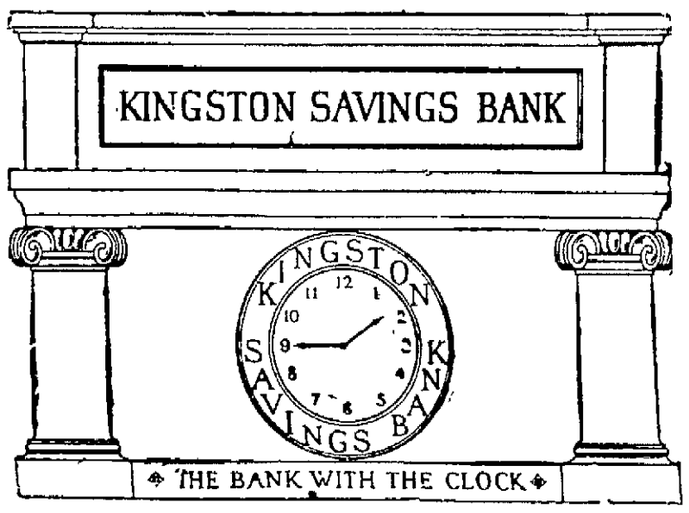

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned at the Office of the Town Clerk of the Town of Shandaken, at Allaben, N. Y., until 2 o'clock p. m. December 22, 1925, for furnishing all labor and materials and constructing three concrete-steel bridges on County Highways No. 21 and No. 112, in the Town of Shandaken, Ulster County, New York.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the Office of G. Frank Van Keuren, Town Clerk, Allaben, N. Y., after December 5th, and copies of same may be secured, after that date, upon application to J. F. Darnghan, County Superintendent of Highways, 79 John Street, Kingston, New York.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check on a National Bank for ten per cent (10%) of the contract price, made payable to the Supervisor of the Town of Shandaken, Ulster County, New York.

A bond of fifty per cent (50%) of the contract price will be required of the Contractor.

The Town Superintendent of Highways reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, or to accept any proposal which he may deem to be to the best interest of the Town of Shandaken.

JOHN E. FORD,
Town Superintendent of Highways,
Allaben, N. Y.

Dated, November 23, 1925.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. George F. Kaufman, Surrogate of Ulster County, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Harriet N. Bergen, late of the City of Kingston, County of Ulster, deceased, testate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Fanny N. Bourgoignon and Gertrude C. Dage, the executrices of the estate of said deceased, at the residence of the late Harriet N. Bergen, No. 309 Maiden Lane, in the City of Kingston, Ulster County, N. Y., on or before the 20th day of May, 1926.

Dated, November 23, 1925.

FANNY N. BOURGOIGNON,
GERTRUDE C. DAGE,
Executrices of the Will of
Harriet N. Bergen.

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"Cook nougat, divinity, and candies in which egg white is used to 248 degrees F. This is the 'hard ball' stage. Test in the same manner as for soft ball, withdrawing it from the fire when the syrup forms a ball that will keep its shape if held between the fingers.

"Cook peanut brittle and other brittle candies to 290 degrees F. This is the 'crack' stage. It is reached when the candy hardens at once when it touches the water and makes a distinct click when it touches the glass."

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Trains are due to leave this city as follows:
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Union Station *7 30 a. m.; †2 30 p. m.
Trains are due to arrive as follows:
Union Station 11 25 a. m.; *5 15 p. m.
Rondout Station 11 35 a. m.
*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. §Sunday only.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. George F. Kaufman, Surrogate of Ulster County, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against William Marx, late of Katrine, County of Ulster, deceased, late, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Theresa Marx, the Executrix of the estate of said deceased, at Katrine, in the said County of Ulster, on or before the 10th day of January, 1926.

Dated, July 6, 1925.
THERESSA MARX,
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of William Marx, Deceased.
V. R. VAN WAGONEN, Attorney, 240 Fair Street, Kingston, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. George F. Kaufman, Surrogate of Ulster County, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Herman Simon, late of the City of Kingston, County of Ulster, deceased, late, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Emma Albrecht McConnell, the Executrix of the estate of said deceased, at 681 Broadway, in the said City of Kingston, N. Y., on or before the 15th day of February, 1926.

Dated, August 10, 1925.
EMMA ALBRECHT McCONNELL,
Executrix Estate of Herman Simon, Deceased.
HARRY H. FLEMMING, Attorney, 20 Ferry Street, Kingston, N. Y.

New Books at The Library

Bradford, Gamaliel—Wives. Being portraits of wives of famous and infamous characters in our history. Mrs. Benedict Arnold, Mrs. Jefferson Davis, Mrs. Benjamin Butler, Dolly Madison, Mrs. J. G. Blaine, and the little known Mrs. Abraham Lincoln.

Clodd, Edward—Story of creation. A plain account of evolution.

Coulter—Where evolution and religion meet. Explaining the various theories of evolution.

Enders—Temple Bells and silver sails. Travels and impressions of China.

Eaton, Walter Prichard—A story of camping expeditions in Glacier Park, to Crater Lake, Mt. Jefferson and the Cascade Range.

Dr. Griswold-Hunt—The Hearts of Trees. An anthology from the poets of the world.

Kimber and Grey—A text book of anatomy and physiology.

Marks, Jeannette—A psychological study of the effects of alcohol and drugs on genius.

Sowers—The boy and his vocation. A book to interest parents of school boys.

Thomson—Concerning evolution.

Weigand—The modern Ibsen. An analytical study of Ibsen.

Wilkinson, Marguerite—Yule fire. A collection of Christmas poems.

Wiggam—Fruit of the family tree. A study of heredity, eugenics, and environment.

Fiction.

Bally, Temple—Holly Hedge and other stories.

Benson, E. F.—Colin II. Sequel to Colin.

Curwood—God's country; the road to happiness.

Grey, Zane—The vanishing American.

Fletcher—False scent.

Locke—The Great Pandolfo.

Lea—Dream maker man.

Mackenzie, Compton—Coral; sequel to Carnival.

Morley, Christopher—Thunder on the left.

Oppenheim—Gabriel Samara, Peacemaker.

Ostenso—Wild geese.

Parker, Sir Gilbert—The Power and the Glory.

Richmond, Grace—On Christmas Day in the morning and evening.

Walpole—Portrait of a man with red hair.

Wells, H. G.—Christina Alberta's father.

Phillpotts—A voice from the dark.

NEW PALTZ.

New Paltz, Dec. 15.—The Christmas meeting of the Study Club was held the past week at the home of Mrs. Bruyn Hasbrouck. One new member, Mrs. William Bell, was received and one resignation accepted with regret, that of Mrs. Raymond Smith, who will move in a few weeks to Long Island. Miss Helen Hasbrouck had the program in charge. The subject was "Christmas in Foreign Lands," with Mrs. Guy Gardner, Mrs. Alexander and Mrs. Luman Shafer as speakers. Mrs. S. M. Kevan sang "In the Little Village of Bethlehem," with Mrs. D. C. Seward accompanist. Mrs. Gardner was born of Belgian parents and lived nine years in Belgium. Her talk was on Christmas in Belgium. Mrs. Alexander has had four Christmas days in England, which was the topic of her speech. Mrs. Luman Shafer told of Christmas in Japan. The program was closed by Mrs. Raymond Smith, who sang "The Star of Bethlehem."

Ivan and John Ostrander left Friday for Florida where they have positions awaiting them.

George W. Palmer has an apartment in Kingston.

The Misses Anna Clinton and Edna Dugan spent one day the past week in Poughkeepsie.

A number of New Paltz people were shoppers in Kingston Saturday night.

Irene Ellis spent Saturday with her friend, Mildred Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fitch have been visiting friends in Poughkeepsie.

Wednesday night the picture "The Piraire Wife" will be shown at the New Paltz Opera House.

Miss Ethel Freer and Hilda Gerald will give a piano duet at the play of the O. M. M. Society on December 15. After the play there will be dancing in the gym.

The Rev. F. L. Bradley of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church had charge of the service at the Methodist Church Sunday morning in the absence of the pastor, the Rev. J. R. Halmshaw, who was occupying the pulpit of the Clinton Avenue M. E. Church in Kingston. The congregation of the Episcopal Church united with the Methodits church at this meeting.

The Parent-Teacher Association held their meeting in the Normal Wednesday, December 9. Due to the absence of the president, Mrs. Edward Jacobs, the meeting was called to order by Vice President Mrs. Kenneth DuBois, who introduced as the first speaker of the afternoon Dr. Mary Gage-Day of Kingston. Miss Frisch and Miss Deane represented the health and gymnasium departments. Mrs. Van Bogert representing the nominating committees presented the following names for officers of the Parent-Teacher Association for the coming year: President, Mrs. Lester Harrer; vice-president, Mrs. Kenneth DuBois; secretary, Miss Barbara Pfaff; treasurer, Mrs. Fred Coulter.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis TenHagen of Wurts avenue recently entertained friends from Rosendale.

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Plattekill Grange Elects Officers

The regular meeting of Plattekill Grange was held at the hall on Saturday evening, December 12, with a good attendance. Several patrons gave reports from Pomona Grange meeting held at Clintondale last week. Worthy Master Thompson was congratulated in his recent election to the position of overseer of the Ulster County Pomona Grange. A discussion was held over the installation of electric lights in the hall and it was decided to equip the hall with them as soon as the power is available which will be next summer.

The annual election of officers was held and the following officers were elected for the year 1926: Master, C. Ira Thompson; overseer, Charles Everett; lecturer, Mrs. C. I. Thompson; steward, Charles Jenkins; assistant steward, Myron Fosler; chaplain, Mary E. Ward; treasurer, William Nabor; secretary, Mrs. Charles Everett; gatekeeper, Elmore Lozier; Ceres, Elizabeth Fosler; Pomona, Mrs. William Harris; Flora, Mrs. H. Coleman; lady assistant steward, Ida M. Cronk; trustee, Edgar Cronk.

The program consisted of an illustrated reading, entitled "Wanted a Wife" given by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Zimmer, Sheldon Edmunds and Mildred Schoonmaker. It was much enjoyed by all present.

The refreshment committee served hot dogs, coffee and crullers which were very satisfying.

The next meeting will be held on December 26 when the annual Christmas party will be held with a Christmas tree and a fine program. Everyone is requested to bring a 10 cent present for the tree. The lecturer is making plans for a play entitled, "A Christmas Eve Pilgrimage" to be given by the following characters:

Jack—Gordon Lozier.
Jill—Ethel Lozier.
Miss Selfishness—Pessie Harris.
A Miser—Elmore Lozier.
Two Outlaws—Albert and Ira Cronk.
Orphan Girl—Lolita Harris
Orphan Boy—George Martin.
Christmas Spirit—Ida M. Cronk.

Besides, there will be several Christmas recitations and Christmas carols. The refreshments will be in charges of the Graces.

On Tuesday evening, December 29, there will be an oyster supper and a minstrel show following the supper held at the Grange Hall. Plans are being made for this under the supervision of Mrs. R. Ward and Mrs. Arthur Coy of Modena and it promises to be a most delightful occasion to all who avail themselves of the opportunity to attend.

Fruit Growers Plan Meeting

Winter Session of State Horticultural Society Announced for January—Will Be Held at Rochester—Interesting Program Prepared.

With the announcement of the dates for the 1926 winter meeting of the State Horticultural Society at Rochester next month, officials at the State Agricultural Experiment Station at Geneva are making preliminary plans for the station exhibit which has always proved an attractive feature of these meetings. January 13, 14 and 15 have been set by the officers of the Horticultural Society for their annual meeting with the sessions to be held at Edgerton Park in Rochester.

While the principal feature of the station exhibit will be the usual display of fruit, particularly apples, many other activities of the station will also be represented. Chief among these will be exhibits depicting methods of control of important insect pests and diseases of fruit. Numerous publications of the station on horticultural subjects will be available for distribution, while it is hoped to have on display advance copies of "The Small Fruits of New York," the latest addition to the series of fruit books put out by the station.

A feature of the exhibit which proved especially worth while last year and which it is hoped to develop still further this year is a series of five or ten minute talks by members of the Experiment Station staff on problems of first importance to New York fruit growers. These talks will be given during the lunch hour at the exhibit where they can be illustrated with the exhibit material.

Among other things it is hoped to stress some of the work recently undertaken at the station with canning crops, particularly the control of insect pests of cherries.

KERHONKSON.

Kerhonkson, Dec. 14.—Mrs. Reliar Wood of Ellenville spent Friday with her mother, Mrs. Kearney.

Mr. Brady of the Kingston Gas & Electric Company, who has been rewiring the company's office at this place, has returned to Kingston. While in town he stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Burger.

The roast pork supper at the M. E. Church on Friday evening was largely attended.

December 17 will mark the fourth anniversary of the institution of Camp No. 51, P. O. of A., in Kerhonkson. The ladies under the leadership of their president, Nellie H. Burger, are making big plans for an elaborate evening, long to be remembered. It is hoped all sisters of the camp will be present. The camp has has grown during the past year both in work and membership.

Mrs Harrison Burger and Mrs. Stephen Schultz were shopping at Ellenville Thursday.

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MILTON.

Milton, Dec. 14.—The section of the Barrett farm recently purchased by J. B. Ball which is under consideration as site for a new school building was surveyed last Friday. A map and blue prints will be made. The land which includes five acres or more is situated south of the St. James Church and faces the state road on the west and Landing street on the east.

The sum of $2,710 was paid out in Christmas checks recently by the First National Bank of Milton. On and after January 1 the bank will pay four and one half per cent interest instead of four per cent as in the past.

Hon. Eugene F. Patten celebrated his 80th birthday last Wednesday at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wood. The guests were his daughter, Mrs. J. Perry Woolsey and daughter, Florence, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas MacManus, Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Wood, Supervisor Edward Young and two grand children, Lila and Edward Wood, Jr. Mr. Patten served several terms as supervisor of the town of Marlborough and also as a state assemblyman. He was born in Marlborough but most of his life has been spent in this village. For several years he conducted a grocery store and meat market.

The Barrett farm recently sold by Mrs. Caroline McNicholas to John B. Ball has been resold to S. Birckall Taber and wife and Miss Mary A. Davis, sister of Mrs. Taber. Mr. and Mrs. Taber are planning to open a preserving factory on the property next spring. Improvements on the large residence on this property will be begun soon. Mr. and Mrs. Taber and children, Mr. Taber's mother, Mrs. Catherine Taber, will move here next spring. Electric lights, plumbing and a heating plant will be installed. In the meantime the wagon house on the property will be turned into a jam and preserving plant. Mr. Taber is a former resident of Milton but for the past ten years or more has been with the Holland Furnace Company at Poughkeepsie. In addition to the preserving plant a roadside market will be erected.

Two hundred children have been inoculated for the prevention of diphtheria in this village.

J. Romer Woolsey, Jr., has purchased the meat market on Main street formerly managed by Homer Fowler.

A Loyal Legion Club is being planned for the children of this village and will have a program that will combine sport and instruction organized along modern lines and will be for the children's benefit, conducted under the supervision of an experienced director.

The Maids' and Matrons' Club will hold their regular meeting Tuesday evening, December 15, at the Community House at 8 o'clock.

The Rev. Mr. Henry, superintendent of the Newburgh district of the Methodist Church, conducted the service at the Milton Church on Sunday morning on account of the serious illness of the pastor, the Rev. J. A. Hurn, who is at the Methodist Hospital, New York, undergoing treatment.

Willis Lawton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lawton, is seriously ill with an attack of pneumonia at his home on Sands avenue.

Miss Beth Young, who has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Young, has returned to New York city to continue her work in the Community Hospital as head dietitian.

The Milton Melody Club are planning to present a Japanese operetta some time after Easter. Rehearsals have already begun. The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Mrs. Edward Kaley, Wednesday, January 11.

At the meeting last Monday evening, December 7, of the Milton Grange, the following officers were elected: Master, Harry C. Vanderwoort; overseer, J. Harold Clarke; lecturer, Charles Bloomer; treasurer, Enoch Carpenter; secretary, Kenneth Taber; steward, John Young; assistant steward, Vincent Lyons; lady assistant steward, Mrs. Russel Martin; chaplain, Frank C. Wood; gate keeper, Arthur Clarke; Flora, Mrs. H. C. Vanderwoort; Pomona, Mrs. D. M. Warren; Ceres, Mrs. C. H. Herbert. Ensign Lyons, was re-elected trustee for a term of three years. The new officers will be installed some time in January. The next meeting of the Grange will be held Monday evening, December 21, and the annual Christmas party for the children will be held that evening. Members are requested to bring a gift and additional ones for each child there as a guest.

Mrs. John B. Ball will have charge of the sale of Christmas seals in Milton for the benefit of anti-tuberculosis work. Stamped and addressed envelopes will be sent for the returning of these seals or the payment of them.

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ORANGE COUNTY COMPANY EXPANDING ITS BUSINESS

Orange & Rockland Title & Mortgage Guaranty Company of Monroe has contracted to purchase the building formerly occupied by Newburgh Savings Bank, corner of Smith and Second streets, Newburgh, and will occupy the former banking rooms after February 1, 1926. This company has done a very satisfactory business insuring title to real estate for owners and mortgagees, lending money on mortgages, issuing surety bonds and selling guaranteed mortgages and morgtage certificates and expects to greatly increase its business by operating from a larger community.

This building was recently purchased by The Prudence Company, Inc., the well known bond and mortgage company of New York city, and shortly thereafter arrangements were concluded by which the Monroe Company is to cooperate with the New York company in lending money on mortgages and the sale of the guaranteed securities of both companies.

Elwood C. Smith, the present surrogate of Orange county, is the president of Orange & Rockland Title & Mortgage Guaranty Company and expects to maintain his main office and the surrogate's chambers at Newburgh after February 1.

Amendments Not Voted by 700,000

Report of State Board of Canvassers Discloses Seven Hundred Thousand Failed to Express Themselves on Amendments.

Albany, Dec. 15.—The meeting of the State Board of Canvassers late yesterday afternoon, held in the office of Secretary of State Knapp, disclosed that about 700,000 voters failed to express themselves either for or against the Constitutional on November 3. The blank ballots ranged all the way from 699,682 on Amendment No. 1, to 769,479 on Amendment No. 4. While all amendments were carried, the one calling for a $100,000,000 bond issue for public buildings, had the tightest squeeze, and won out by a vote of 960,385 to 937,990. The amendment was downed in no less than fifty-six counties, but won out through the big favorable vote in New York city and Erie county.

Amendment No. 2, the $300,000,000 bond issue for the elimination of grade crossings, was carried by a vote of 1,032,109 to 859,702, although downed in fifty-one counties. It was carried in New York city and the counties of Albany, Dutchess, Erie, Hamilton, Schenectady and Westchester.

Amendment No. 3, calling for the reorganization of State departments, won out by a vote of 1,048,087 to 775,768, although failing to carry fifty counties. It was favored in New York city and the counties of Albany, Dutchess, Erie, Hamilton, Putnam, Schenectady and Westchester.

Amendment No. 4, relating to the State Judicial system failed to carry forty-five counties, but won out by a vote of 1,090,632 to 711,018. It was carried in New York city and the counties of Albany, Chemung, Dutchess, Erie, Hamilton, Monroe, Onondaga, Putnam, Rockland, Schenectady, Warren and Westchester.

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Christmas Trees Are Not a Waste

Use of Small Evergreens Sanctioned by U. S. Forest Service and State Agricultural College — Economic Factors Point to "Wise Use."

Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 15.—"Is it not wrong to have a Christmas tree?" and "Are we not by this custom endangering our future timber supply?" are two questions that seem each year at this season to trouble a good many people, says Prof. R. S. Hosmer, of the New York State College of Agriculture here. His answer to both questions is "Emphatically no." So is that of practically all the other professional foresters in the United States. These men, whose life work is to grow, care for and perpetuate forests, all unite in saying that the use of Christmas trees is entirely justifiable. And they also affirm that it is often the best use that can be made of the smaller trees of certain species, like balsam fir.

This is what the United States Forest Service has to say about it: "The custom is so old, so well grounded, and so venerated that even if it were economically somewhat indefensible, these aspects will and should continue to outweigh economic considerations. Interestingly enough, however, economic factors as well as sentiment point to this as 'wise use.' With several of the species that yield the best Christmas trees, more money can be got by using them for this purpose than for any other. The Christmas tree is a legitimate by-product of the forest."

Firs and spruces are the favorite Christmas trees and where obtainable are preferred by most persons to all other kinds. "As a matter of fact," says Professor Hosmer, "on most of the land from which spruces and firs are cut, the forest readily replaces itself through natural regeneration. Much of the Christmas tree stock that goes to the Atlantic seaboard cities comes from land that has reverted to forest, or from swampy areas and balsam thickets, or the cuttings that farmers make to keep their pastures open for grazing. Frequently the best, often the only, market afforded for the small conifers so removed is as Christmas trees. True conservation of the forest does not mean to leave trees to grow old and die, but to use them wisely when they are needed, in whatever size, by man. Under proper forest management one crop of trees is made to succeed another. Forestry aims at continuous forest production: the perpetuation of the forest through wise use.

The Forest Service states that about six million Christmas trees are used each year. When forest plantations are established, the trees are set from 6 to 8 feet apart. This makes 1,210 trees to the acre. Rounding off the last ten, 1,200 goes into 6,000,000 five thousand times: that is 5,000 acres. But as natural grown forests are often not as dense as plantations, doubling this figure, for good measure, gives ten thousand acres.

The Forest Service recently said that "our remaining forests are being cut at the rate of about ten million acres a year." Ten thousand is one-tenth of one per cent of ten million. This percentage is not one that alarms the foresters, especially in view of the joy that Christmas trees bring to so many persons, both young and old.

"But even at this," says Professor Hosmer, "what would happen if these spruces and firs were not cut for Christmas trees? When they grew large enough they would probably be felled and made into pulp wood and in due course converted into news print paper. It is authoritatively stated that it takes an amount of pulp wood approximately equivalent to that grown on forty acres to print the average Sunday editions of the newspapers in a large city. May one not balance the lasting influence of the Christmas tree, even if it is only used for a day or two, as against a page or so of a Sunday supplement?

"The only serious problem about Christmas trees is how to prevent the vandalism that so often results from cutting of trees for Christmas use, without the permission of the owner of the land where they are growing. If those who worry about whether the use of Christmas trees is not wrong would devote themselves to putting an end to this dishonest practice, they would be doing something worth while. There is no reason why we should not enjoy our Christmas trees. What we ought to do is to make it possible for every family to have its own."

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LINEN GUEST TOWELS, small size, hemstitched with pink, blue or gold borders, with space for monogram. SPECIAL ..... 3 for $1.00

LINEN GLASS TOWELS, red or blue checked, already hemmed, border all around, loop in one corner. SPECIAL ..... 3 for $1.00

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72 IN. LINEN TABLECLOTHS large variety of patterns, some with drawnwork, all hemstitched, lovely quality. $3.98 and $5.00 grade. SPECIAL..$3 and $3.98 ea.

50 IN. LINEN CLOTHS, blue borders and blue plaid centers, already hemmed. Reg. $1.98. SPECIAL ..... $1.50 each

LINEN DINNER SETS with colored borders, rose, blue and gold and 6 napkins, hemstitched, unusually attractive for gifts. SPECIAL ..... $5.98 set

LUNCHEON CLOTHS, all white or with pink, blue and gold borders, 54x58, hemstitched. SPECIAL ..... $1.00 each

BABY BLANKETS, very heavy satin bound, come in boxes, pink and blue, $3.98 quality. SPECIAL ..... $2.98 each

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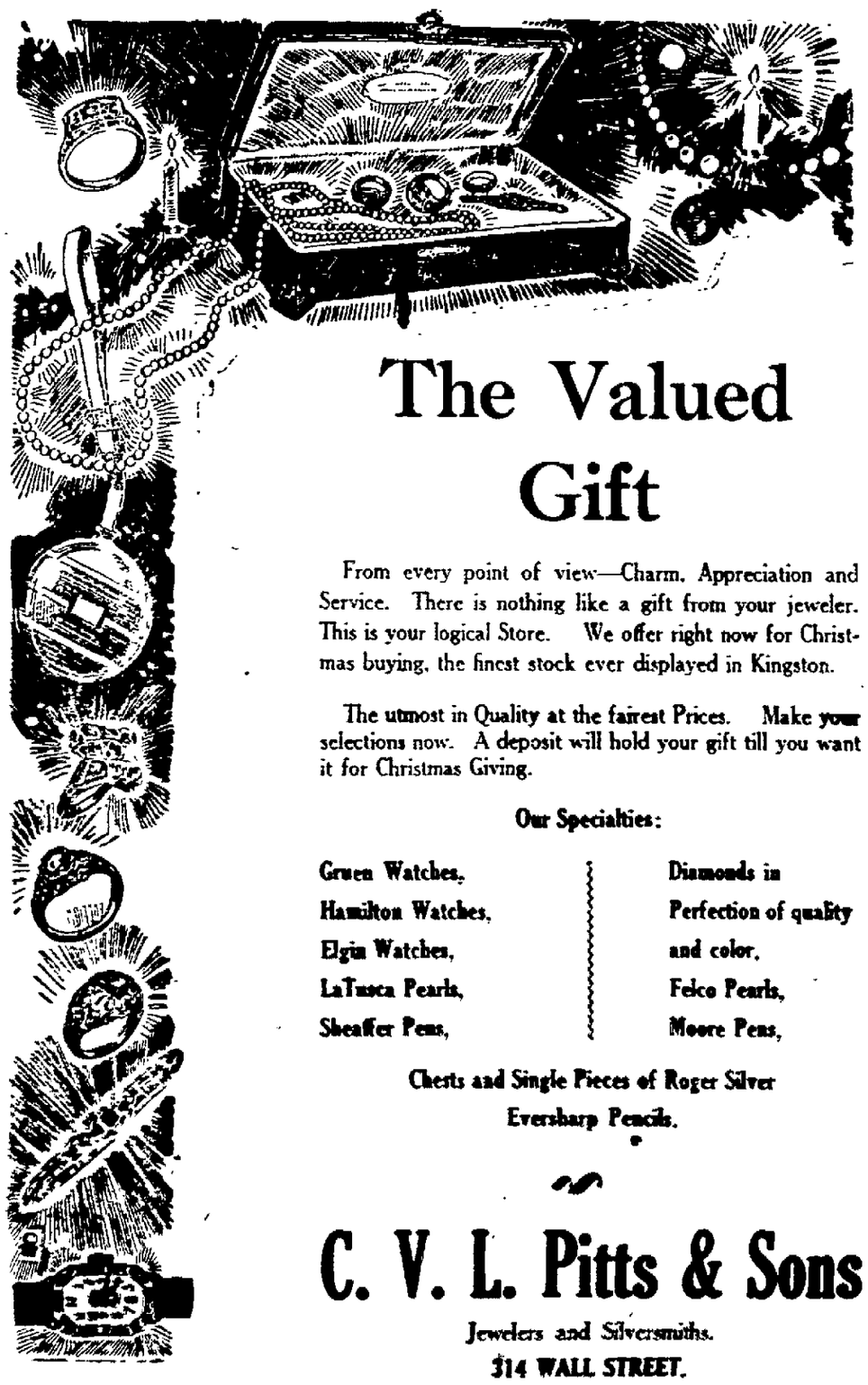

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Weekly Market Letter On Request

Chapman Gets Latest Bad News

Condemned Murderer Informed That His Habeas Corpus Petition Has Been Dismissed—Parley Saturday All Bandit's Lawyers.

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 15.—Gerald Chapman, condemned bandit and murderer awaiting hanging on March 3rd, received his latest bad news this afternoon. One of his lawyers, Joseph M. Freedman, of Hartford, visited the state prison at Wethersfield and told Chapman that United States Court Judge E. S. Thomas had dismissed his habeas corpus petition and remanded him from his three-weeks' federal patrol back to Warden Scott for hanging.

Before starting for the prison early this afternoon, Attorney Freedman said he expected that a conference of all of Chapman's lawyers would be held here next Saturday afternoon. This means that Judge Frederick Groehl, of New York; Ray W. Wiley, of Springfield; Charles W. Murphy, of Danbury, and Mr. Freedman will visit Chapman Saturday to consult with him on plans for an appeal to the United States circuit court of appeals in New York.

Before an appeal may be argued, the stenographic record of the two days' court hearing at the prison, November 30 and December 2, must be printed at the expense of the Chapman appellants. If the circuit court decision is adverse, Chapman intends to appeal to the United States supreme court on his contention that, regardless of President Coolidge's commutation, he is still a federal prisoner and cannot be executed by Connecticut. To get his case before the supreme court, a writ of certiorari must be issued by the court of appeals to be examined by the supreme court before it takes the case on constitutional grounds.

NO CHANGE IN BRITISH DEBT AGREEMENT.

London, Dec. 15.—The United States has made no suggestion to Great Britain relative to altering the British debt agreement in conformity with lighter terms granted other nations, Winston Churchill, chancellor of the exchequer, stated in the House of Commons this afternoon in response to questions.

Churchill said the Balfour note still represented Great Britain's debt policy.

The Balfour note stated that Great Britain would demand payment of the debts owing her in amount sufficient to meet her debt payments to the United States.

DENIES RECONCILIATION BETWEEN KIP AND ALICE

New York, Dec. 15.—Leon R. Jacobs, associate counsel for Leonard Kip Rhinelander in his recent unsuccessful marriage annulment suit against his part-negro bride, Alice Jones Rhinelander, denied emphatically this afternoon to International News Service that there was any reconciliation between Leonard and Alice.

"The report is absolutely false," Jacobs said, "as well as the story young Rhinelander is in Florida. He is not in Florida. I know where he is but I think the young man is entitled to a rest from publicity."

SUTLIFF SELLS CATSKILL BUSINESS TO BOICE

Sutliff, Inc., of Kingston, local dealers in Chevrolet cars, has sold out to Frank Boice, who has been manager of the Catskill concern ever since it started a year ago last November. The firm will be known as the Boice Chevrolet Co., and will be located after January 1st at 414 Main street, in the building formerly occupied by F. L. Anderson.—Catskill Mail.

DIED.

ANJEVINE—In this city, December 14, 1925, Charles Anjevine.

Funeral from the chapel of Leo V. Grogan, Wednesday, December 16 at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in Wiltwyck cemetery.

LUTHER—In this city December 15, 1925, Jennie F. Van Buren wife of Fred P. Luther.

Funeral at residence, 50 Downs street on Thursday at 2 p. m. Interment in Wiltwyck Cemetery. Kindly omit flowers.

VALMOS—In this city, December 13, 1925, Laura Sickler, wife of Oliver Valmos.

Funeral at residence, 198 Foxhall avenue, on Wednesday at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in Wiltwyck cemetery.

In sad and loving memory of Karl H. Menzel, who died six years ago today, December 15, 1919.

Every day our thoughts still wander
To your grave not far away
Where we gently laid your body
Just six years ago today.
(Signed) WIFE AND CHILDREN.

Financial and Commercial

New York, Dec. 15.—The railroad stocks receives the benefit of speculative shifts and switches, from the motor, oil and industrial stocks, which constitute the principal activity of the listed stock market today. Huge treasury operations in the money market tied up a considerable portion of bank funds, but brokers reported no difficulty in securing all the call money required.

Powerful financial interests were reported behind the current move in railroad stocks, and brokerage houses which usually act for United States Steel interests bought a large volume of Rock Island, New Haven and other transportation shares. Rock Island approximated its former high price of 54¼ in heavy trading and New Haven sold at 46 for the first time since 1917. A block of 6,000 shares of Pennsylvania Railroad common sold at 54, the highest price since 1917, the stock in the meantime declining to 32½.

The oils, coppers, equipments and other important groups were sidetracked by the professionals seeking more "action."

United States Steel and the independent steel stocks were generally steady. American Can established a new record higher prices at 261, after which the stock was supplied down to 261. Public utility stock was irregular and copper stocks steady.

Quotations given by C. H. Halsey & Co., 27 William street, New York city, branch office, Warren Building, 160-62 Fair street, Kingston, N. Y.

2:45 P. M. QUOTATIONS.

Allis-Chalmers	24¾
American Beet Sugar	33¾
American Can	260¾
American Car & Foundry	109½
American Locomotive	120¾
American Smelting & Ref. Co.	133¾
American Sugar	76⅝
American Tel. & Tel	145
American Woolen	42¼
Anaconda Copper Mining	50⅝
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe	130
Baldwin Locs	131¼
Baltimore & Ohio	92⅜
Bethlehem Steel B	48¾
California Petroleum	31⅜
Canadian Pacific	146
Central Leather	19¼
Cerro de Pasco Copper	61⅞
Chandler Motors	46¾
Chesapeake & Ohio	128⅝
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	10
Chicago, R. I. & Pacific	54
Cons. Gas	95¼
Corn Products	39⅝
Cosden & Co.	35¼
Crucible Steel	82¼
Erie	38¼
General Motors	115
Great Northern, pfd	80⅝
Great Northern Ore	25⅜
Inspiration Copper	26¼
Int. Mer. Marine Pfd	40⅞
Int. Nickel	46
International Paper	65⅞
Kelly Spring Tire	17
Kennecott Copper	84¾
Lehigh Valley	85
Middle States Oil	1
New York Central	130¼
N. Y., N. H. & H	46
Norfork & Western	180¼
Northern Pacific	76
New York, Ontario & Western	28½
Pacific Oil	60⅜
Pan American Pet. & Trans A.	75
Pan American Pet. & Trans B.	77¼
Pennsylvania Railroad	54¼
Pittsburgh Coal	39⅜
Pressed Steel Car	60
Railway Steel Sp'g	168
Reading	88⅞
Rep. Iron & Steel	60⅛
Royal Dutch	54¼
Sinclair Cons.	21
Southern Pacific	101⅛
Southern Railway	117¼
St. Oil California	45¼
St. Oil New Jersey	43⅛
Studebaker	56
Texas Co.	52⅛
Texas & Pacific Ry	56
Tobacco Products "A"	103
Union Pacific	149¾
U. S. Industrial Alcohol Co.	74¼
U. S Rubber	83¾
U.S. Steel	134¾
Utah Copper	
Westinghouse Electric	75¼
White Motors	82¼

New York Produce Market

Wheat—Firm. December, 170¾; May, 167¼; July, 146¾; spot No. 2 red winter, 186¾, c. i. f. N. Y. export basis, and 184¾, f. o. b. to arrive.

Corn—Quiet. No. 2 yellow new, 96; No. 3 yellow new, 93.

Oats—Dull. Fancy white clipped, 55½ @ 56½; ordinary white clipped, 54 @ 54; No. 1, nominal; No. 2, 52; No. 3, 51; No. 4, 49½.

Rye—Easy. No. 2 western, 109, c. i. f. export and 110¾, f. o. b. New York.

Barley—Steady. Malting, 89½ @ 90½ c. i. f. New York export.

Hay—Firm. No. 1, 140 @ 145; No. 2, 105 @ 115; clover mixed, 100 @ 140.

Straw—Firm. No. 1 straight rye, 90 @ 95.

Flour—Easier. Spring patents, $8.85 @ $9.25; clears, $7.75 @ $8.25; straights, $8.00 @ $8.35; straights, $8.25 @ $9.25; winter patents, $9.35 @ $9.75; clears, $7.75 @ $8.25.

Potatoes—Firm. White, nearby, 100 @ $2.25; Bermudas, $9.00 @ $11.50; Jersey sweets, 75 @ $2.25; Maine, 500 @ 725; Canada, 650 @ 700.

Dressed Poultry—Quiet. Chickens, 22 @ 42; turkeys, 30 @ 54; geese, 12 @ 30; fowls, 15 @ 35; ducks, 16 @ 31; broilers, 28 @ 40.

Live Poultry—Quiet. Chickens, 26 @ 30; turkeys, 30 @ 35; ducks, 15 @ 20; fowls, 25 @ 30; roosters, 18; geese, 15 @ 20; broilers, 35 @ 42.

Butter—Weaker. Higher scoring, 49 @ 50½; creamery extra, 48 @ 49½; creamery firsts, 46½ @ 48; process extra, 44 @ 44½; ladies fresh extras, 38½ @ 39.

Eggs—Steady. Nearby white fancy, 59 @ 60; nearby brown fancy, 55 @ 59; extras, 52 @ 55; firsts, 47 @ 51.

Milk. The nominal wholesale price is $3.40 100 lbs delivered in New York.

Mellon Will Now Direct Railroads

Washington, Dec. 15.—President Coolidge today issued a proclamation designating Secretary of Treasury Mellon as director general of railroads, succeeding James C. Davis, Des Moines, Iowa, resigned.

Mellon will serve as treasury chief and act as agent of the president in liquidating claims of the railroad administration.

Treasury officials denied that Mellon contemplated resigning.

Defeat Efforts to Boost Exemptions

Washington, Dec. 15.—Efforts to increase the normal exemptions in the new tax bill were defeated in the House today.

An amendment to increase the exemption for married persons to $5,000 and the single persons $2,500 was rejected by a vote of 207 to 84 which indicates that the committee's exemptions of $3,500 and $1,500 will be retained.

Congressman Mary T. Norton, Democrat of New Jersey, urged increased personal tax exemptions. She would raise the exemptions for married persons from $3,500 to $5,000 and single persons from $1,500 to $2,500.

About the Folks

Miss Ruth Harris of No. 19 Downs street has been visiting in New York city.

Mrs. McGregor Tremper of 73 Hoffman street is spending a few days in New York city.

Miss M. F. Costello of 35 Rock street is visiting relatives and friends in New York city and Brooklyn.

Little Joseph Lukaszewski of 484 Delaware avenue is in the Kingston City Hospital, where Dr. George F. Chandler performed three operations on him.

Miss Minnie Johnston of New Haven, Conn., is spending the Christmas holiday season in town. Miss Johnston has made many friends in Kingston, being a visitor here from time to time.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ashby of No. 18 Ponckhockie street have returned home from a very pleasant trip to Florida. While in Florida they were the guests of Mr. Bang, a former Kingston resident. The Ashbys made the trip south by auto and returned by train stopping over for one night in Washington.

LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.

A month's mind Mass will be offered for the repose of the soul of Matilda C. Messing at St. Joseph's Church Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock.

Charles Anjevine died on Monday. Funeral from the chapel of Leo V. Grogan on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment in Wiltwyck Cemetery.

Jennie F. Van Buren, wife of Fred P. Luther, died at the family residence, 50 Downs street, this morning about 1:50 o'clock. She had been ill but a short time. Mrs. Luther is survived by her husband, a well known brick manufacturer, and one daughter, Helen. Deceased was a daughter of the late Henry Van Buren, for many years a leading butcher with a market on Wall street, near Maiden Lane, whose business was later carried on by his sons, Cornelius, William T. and Matthew Van Buren, and finally by William T. Van Buren. Funeral Thursday, December 17, at 1:30 p. m., at the late residence. Interment in Wiltwyck Cemetery.

Laura Sickler, wife of Oliver Valmos, died Sunday evening at the family residence, No. 198 Foxhall avenue. Besides her husband she is survived by three children, Dorothy Evelyn, Oliver Henry, Jr., and Robert William; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Sickler; five sisters, Miss Ruth Sickler at home; Lillian, wife of Floyd Reed of Hamden; Gussie, wife of Benjamin Freer of Kingston; Bessie, wife of Walter Kelley of New Paltz; Mary, wife of Arthur Fitzpatrick of Connelly; and five brothers, Jesse, William Leonard, John and Kenneth, all of Kingston. Funeral from the late residence Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment in Wiltwyck Cemetery.

George Hurley, a former resident of Kingston, died suddenly at Elizabethport, N. J., Sunday evening, December 13. He is survived by three brothers, Jeremiah and Dominick A. of Brooklyn, and Joseph C. Hurley of this city; also two sisters, Sarah of New York city and Mary of Richmond, Va. The remains will be brought to this city on Wednesday, December 16, on the West Shore train arriving at 2:15 p. m., for interment in the Hurley family plot in St. Mary's Cemetery.

ALLEGED MURDERER HOLDS OFF POSSE IN MOUNTAINS.

Yellville, Ark., Dec. 15.—Trapped on Bonanza mountain near Buffalo, Arkansas, Arnold Comer, 16, charged by a coroner's jury with the brutal murder of three persons at Buffalo yesterday, was reported standing off a posse of officers and citizens early today.

He is a crack shot and is said to be heavily armed with a revolver, a rifle and large supply of ammunition.

Two Killed in Earthquakes.

London, Dec. 15.—Two hundred houses were completely destroyed, two persons were killed and twenty injured in severe earthquakes that shook Khorassan in northern Persia on Sunday, according to an Allahabad dispatch to the Central News today.

Lasher Troubles Aired in Court

Action for Divorce Shows Exciting Situation at Ashokan Inn When Wife Appeared—Unnamed Woman Target of Pan of Hot Tomatoes.

An action for divorce was taken up for trial before Judge Staley and a jury in the Supreme court this morning. Caroline W. Lasher brought an action against her husband, George C. Lasher of Ashokan, charging adultery. The Lashers were married October 11, 1908, and separated a year ago. It is alleged the acts charged transpired at Ashokan Inn on April 15 of this year where Mrs. Lasher had gone to get some of her personal effects. The Inn is owned by Mrs. Lasher and was rented at the time.

According to the testimony of plaintiff she went there with others to get some clothing and finding the place lighted up and no one around, she entered the front door which was unlocked. Seeing no one about, she went to her bedroom in the rear on the ground floor and there found Mr. Lasher and some unknown woman. She became excited and struck her husband with the lamp chimney and then when the woman refused to get out of bed she went to the kitchen where she seized a pan full of tomatoes which were cooking on the stove and struck the woman with the pan, driving her from the room and upstairs.

It was also testified to that there were numerous glasses about the place and that during the time the party which accompanied Mrs. Lasher were in the place Mr. Lasher ran around the house unclothed and from time to time went into the rear room where he took several drinks from a jug.

The defendant charges that there was a "frame-up" to get evidence to secure a divorce and put in a defense to that effect. He charges that detectives were hired to get evidence and that at the time Mrs. Lasher came to the house agents sent by the detective agency were there conspiring to secure the evidence. This is denied by Mrs. Lasher who claims that she rented the place to a party for the summer season and that she had not rented the house to agents for a detective agency. She claims that the place was rented for the season and that after the night in question they left afer she had ordered them out when she learned what kind of a place was being run.

John W. Eckert appeared for the plaintiff and Judge William D. Brinnier, Jr., and Roscoe Ellsworth for the defendant.

Mr. Lasher formerly conducted a butcher business at Ashokan and ran a meat route through the mountain secction.

SOCIETY NOTES

Announce Engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Setera of 17 Second avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary, to Raymond Steward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Steward of Down street. The wedding will take place in the near future.

Sorosis.

An old fashioned Christmas party was enjoyed by Sorosis and their friends on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. A. N. Graham. The many costumes which dated back to George Washington and Colonial days added much to the pleasure of the occasion and the candle light which shone upon all made the whole scene more effective and true to the period represented. A most delightful program was arranged in keeping with the Christmas spirit. A playlet portraying the origin of women's clubs, was much appreciated by all. The refreshments were similar to those served at Governor Clinton's inaugural ball. Sorosis will meet January 4 with Mrs. St. John at her home on Linderman avenue.

Twentieth Century Club.

On Monday afternoon the Twentieth Century Club met at the home of Mrs. Williams and enjoyed an afternoon of music. The delightful program was arranged by Mrs. Coe and Mrs. Williams, the opera of Faust being the musical choice for the afternoon. Selections from the opera were played by Mrs. Coe and Mrs. Williams at the piano and by Mrs. Cubberly, violinist, accompanied by Mrs. Eltinge. The roll call was "A Noted Singer." It was voted, during the afternoon, to make a Christmas gift of player-piano rolls t othe Tuberculosis Hospital. The afternoon closed with the singing by all present of two Christmas carols: "Silent Night" and "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear." The next meeting of this club will be with Mrs. Everett on Monday, January 11, 1926.

THE JOINERS.

News of Interest to Members of Fraternal Societies.

The following lodges hold regular meetings this evening:

Brown's Tabernacle, No. 9, G. U. O. of O. F., of G. and E. and W. H., 102 Cornell street.

Cigarmakers' International Union, No. 175, Broadway and Henry street.

Daughters of America, Vanderlyn Council, No. 14 Henry street.

Washington Camp, No. 2, Patriotic Order Sons of America, Pythian Hall, Thomas street.

Tappen Camp, Sons of Veterans, at the Odd Fellows' Hall, Broadway and Brewster street.

Mount Horeb Chapter, No. 75, R. A. M., will hold its annual meeting in Masonic Hall, Wall street, on Wednesday evening, December 16, at 7:30 o'clock, for the election of officers for the ensuing year. A large attendance is requested. After the meeting and installation of officers a banquet will be served.

U. S. Is Richer By $95,253,371

Washington, Dec. 15.—The United States became richer today by $95,253,371.

The money represented payments on principal and interest by foreign nations on outstanding debts.

Great Britain paid $92,310,000; Belgium $870,000; Czecho Slovakia, $1,500,000; Finland, 180,650; Hungary, $39,611; Lithuania, 35,678; and Poland, $500,000.

The British settled in obligations of the United States treasury certificates, liberty bonds, etc. The others paid cash.

Lives Imperilled When Dam Bursts

Quebec, Dec. 15.—Many lives were imperilled and damage estimated at several hundred thousand dollars was caused today at Valjalbert, an important pulp and paper center in the Lake St. John district by the bursting of a dam at Commissioner's lake and the flooding of part of the district.

At one time the current became so violent that the reservoir dams gave away and the rushing waters became a menace to the whole district along the Ouiatchane river.

Because of washouts, trains of the Canadian National Railway, running between Montreal and Lake St. John have been cancelled and the line probably will not be opened until Thursday.

Heavy flood damage was suffered by the Quebec pulp and paper mills at Valjalbert. The mills had to be closed down until repairs have been made.

Shocked Heir

LOIS STURT

Henry Clews, 3d, son of the New York banker, has been missing since he shocked a London drawing room by forcibly snatching a cigarette from the mouth of Hon. Lois Sturt in a blue law appeal.

LECKIE LEAVES KINGSTON, GOES TO NEW YORK.

R. B. Leckie has severed his connection with the Kingston Gas & Electric Company as gas superintendent and has accepted a position as gas engineer with the Semet-Solvay Company with officers at 61 Broadway, New York city. Mr. Leckie will take up his duties in the early part of the new year. Before leaving the local company Mr. Leckie was waited on by the entire staff of the gas department and presented with a smokers' cabinet suitably inscribed.

Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 15.—Grains were higher at the opening today, strong cables influencing a rush to buy.

Wheat was up 1¾ to 2⅜ cents, corn ⅜ to ¾ cents higher; while oats held unchanged to ¼ cent higher.

The wheat pit displayed most activity, buying being general. Corn offerings were limited and shorts rushed of cover. Oats buying was scattered.

Opening Prices.

Wheat—December new, 163½ @ ¾; old, 167 @ ½; May new, 166 @ ½; old, 164 @ ½; July, 145½ @ 146¼.

Corn—December, 77½ @ ¾; May, 84⅜ @ ½; July, 86¼ @ ⅜.

Oats—December, 40¾ @ ⅞; May, 44⅞; July, 45¾.

Closing Prices.

Wheat—December new, 171⅞; old, 169½ asked; May new, 168¾ @ 169; May old, 167; July, 147⅜ @ ¾.

Corn—December, 77¾ asked; May, 84½ @ ⅝; July, 86½.

Oats—December, 41¾ asked; May, 45¼ @ ⅜; July, 45⅝ @ ¾.

May More Capital of Syria.

London, Dec. 15.—Preparations are being made to move the capital of Syria from Damascus to Alleppo, in view of the danger of Damascus falling into the hands of the Djebel Druse tribesmen, according to a Central News dispatch from Jerusalem today.

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GOOD ROADS

USE OF HIGHWAYS IS METERED BY GAS TAX

When a motorist drives up to a gasoline filling station, buys several gallons of gasoline and incidentally pays a tax of from one to four cents for each gallon of gasoline purchased, he is paying for the use of the roads much in the same manner that he pays for his gas, electricity or water. In states where the gasoline tax is in force, the use of the highways is "metered" and the motorist pays for that use in proportion to the amount of highway service he buys.

Motorists who use the highways only occasionally pay very little. On the other hand those who make use of the highways for business and roll up large mileages each month, pay much larger bills. Roads wear out and requir expenditure for maintenance in proportion to the traffic they carry, and it is only fair that the cost of building and repairing them be distributed on the same basis.

The gasoline tax is not a sales tax. Its purpose is not to raise money by a tax on gasoline sales but to raise it by a tax on road use. The amount of gasoline consumed is the best gauge for measuring the use a motor car operator makes of the highway, and the easiest and least expensive way of taxing the road user is by collecting the tax when the gasoline is sold.

The gasoline tax is not a burdensome one. It is paid in small amounts, seldom more than from ten to twenty cents, when the gasoline tank is filled. The price of gasoline rises and falls every few days, and the motor car owner usually pays the price asked without comment. A gasoline tax collected at the time of buying gasoline is often paid without the realization that a tax is being collected.

This method of paying for the use of highways presents little chance for evasion. Everybody who drives a motor car uses gasoline, and it is impossible to buy fuel without paying the tax. Tourists from other states, also, help. They enjoy and contribute to the wear on the roads in the localities they visit, but do not help to pay for the road service they enjoy unless there is some form of taxation based on actual highway use.

More than three-quarters of the states in the Union now meter the use of their highways by means of a gasoline tax. They are employing a method which has been pronounced the fairest and most equitable yet devised for providing funds for road construction and maintenance. The two elements which have been found to be the principal factors in breaking down and wearing out roads—speed and weight—will gauge the cost of highway use to the owner because both speed and weight influence the amount of gasoline required.

Good Roads Building

Good roads in Missouri will in a short time produce such far-reaching effects that even the most optimistic supporter of hard road building will find his expectations far exceeded, according to an official who made a trip to Fredericktown recently over Highway No. 9.

"Our trip to Fredericktown recalled vividly my last trip over Highway No. 9, about three years ago," he said. "On that trip we started for Fredericktown and after six and one-half hours of terrible driving we managed to get 85 miles from St. Louis."

To Mark McKinley Farm

The transcontinental Lincoln highway passes through the famous "tariff farm" which belonged to President McKinley. The Minerva Community association expects to place in the near future a suitable and permanent marker on the Lincoln highway to call to the attention of the heavy through travel the significance of the location.

During McKinley's administration the records of this farm figured much in the great tariff speeches made by the President as it had previously while he was a member of congress.

Good Roads Facts

Two horses are able to pull twice the load on a pavement that they can handle on a dirt road, according to the Iowa state highway commission.

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Good, hard-surfaced roads come high in construction cost, but they save every car owner real money in operating expense, the total of which for all cars on a heavily traveled road will soon pay for the cost of improvement.

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A highway connecting Mexico City and Pueblo, Mexico, is being constructed.

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The first concrete street pavement in the United States was built at Bellefontaine, Ohio, in 1892. It was a narrow strip along the hitching rack on one side of the court house square. The following year, the rest of the street was paved. On January 1, 1925, or 32 years later, there was a total of 31,098 miles of concrete road in the United States, of this total 1,921 miles of concrete were in Wisconsin.

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Coe's Testimony Aids Defense

Major General Coe Says Best Protection Against Air Invasion Would Be American Aircraft—Drum Charges Defense Misquoted Him.

Washington, Dec. 15.—The defense of Colonel William Mitchell scored at his court martial trial today when Major General Frank W. Coe, chief of coast artillery, declared that the best protection against an enemy air invasion would be American aircraft.

Coe was recalled by the prosecution to explain his previous testimony that "10,000 anti-aircraft guns could not adequately protect Washington."

"The best protection against hostile aircraft is aircraft to sweep them out of the skies," said Coe.

"That number of guns could lay down an effective barrage but hostile planes could probably break through at night."

Brig.-General Hugh A. Drum, assistant chief of staff, then took the stand.

Drum gave a lengthy explanation of who commands the army.

"The president, secretary of war, chief of staff and chiefs of branches and corps area commanders are in authority in the order named," he said.

Through Drum, the prosecution sought to show that officials of the air service, rather than members of the general staff, were responsible for present air service.

Drum charged that the defense had "misquoted" him in presentation of previous testimony. He read extracts from his testimony to the house aircraft committee, saying "twelve anti-craft guns could prevent bombers in their range from doing serious damage."

The defense had declared "a high army officer" had said that, "twelve anti aircraft guns could defend Washington from air attack."

Drum felt that the reference was to him, so declared: "I have been misquoted several times along those lines. Such a statement is absurd and foolish."

Mitchell testified that General Perishing gave him only general orders while he commanded the air corps in France and did not go into details.

Drum then read several specific orders to Mitchell from Perishing which went into detail about how to harass the enemy.

"PREACHER" IS ARRESTED ON FORGERY CHARGE.

Syracuse, N. Y., Dec. 15.—Frank Dunbar, who says he took a correspondence course and became a minister while serving a five year sentence for bigamy in Auburn prison, was arrested here today for Rochester authorities who accused him of grand larceny.

Dunbar, it is charged deposited $1,000 in a Rochester bank and then over drew the account. Beatrice Harter, a friend of Dunbar was also taken into custody. Dunbar is reported to have a wife and child in this city.

After his arrest Dunbar said he was entitled to the title "Reverend" and hat he had preached in many churches in this section since his release from prison last July.

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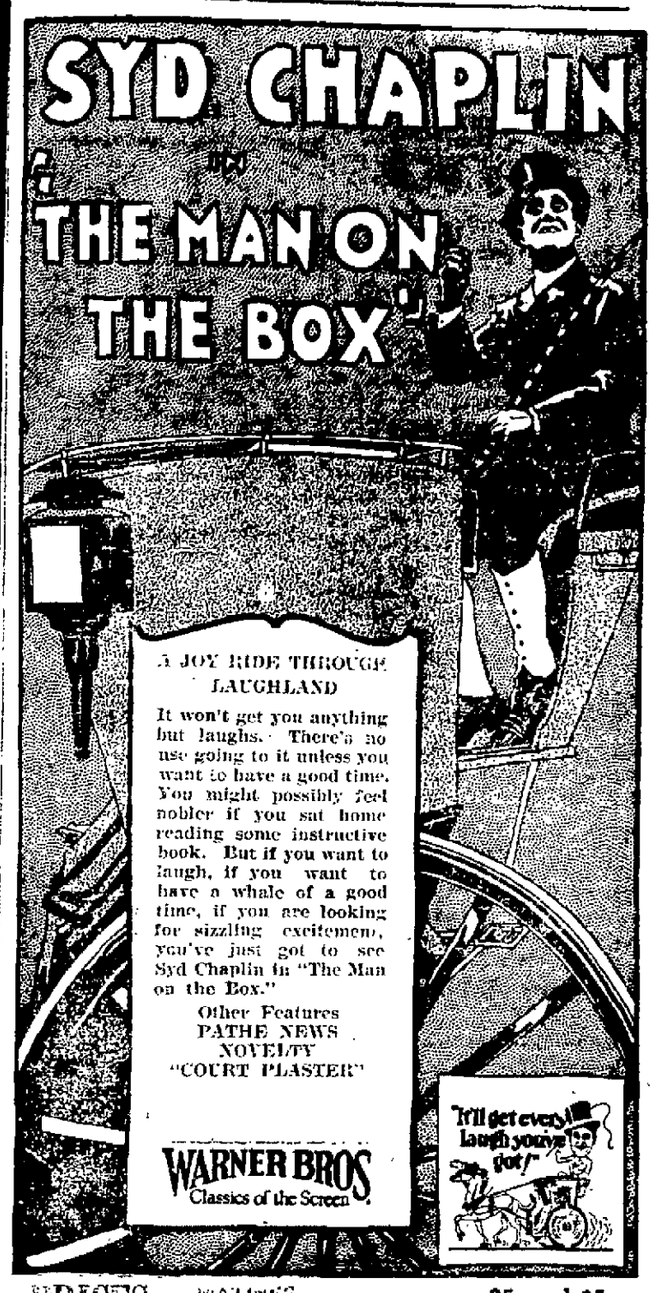

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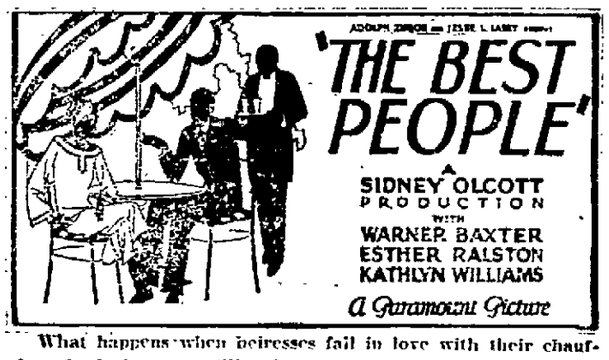

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NEW COUNTERFEIT MONEY APPEARS.

The Federal Reserve Bank of New York gives warning of two new counterfeits which are described as follows:

The treasury department in its circular letter No. 571 describes two new counterfeits as follows:

$5 United States Note.

Series of 1907; check letter "D"; face plate No. 215; back plate No. 84; H. V. Speelman, Register of the Treasury; Frank White, Treasurer of the United States; portrait of Jackson.

This is a new issue of the counterfeit described in Circular Letter No. 562, being apparently printed from the etched plates on a single sheet of paper without silk threads or imitation of the fibre, the work on the bill in its entirety being poorly executed, particularly the seal and numbering on the face. The specimen at hand is H80800373. Except that the bill reflects a better color, this counterfeit is identical in practically every detail to the note described in Circular No. 562, and should not deceive the average person handling currency.

$50 National Bank Note.

Merchants and Manufacturers National Bank of Newark, New Jersey; check letter "A"; Series 1902; W. T. Vernon, Register of the Treasury; Lee McClung, Treasurer of the United States; portrait of Sherman.

This is a photographic production on one piece of paper on which red and blue ink lines have been traced to imitate the silk threads, being identical in workmanship to the $50 and $100 counterfeit Federal Reserve Notes described in Circular No. 570. The specimen at hand bears charter No. 1818, bank number 1508 and treasury number B101693. The charter number and seal are over-colored with blue ink. This counterfeit should be readily detected.

Y. M. H. A. Meeting Tonight.

A regular meting of the Y. M. H. A. will be held this evening. Nomination of officers will take place. Other important matters will be discussed. All members are urged to be present.

Activities at Sing Sing Prison

Net Profits Through Industries at Sing Sing Were $27,219—One of Most "Modern" Prisons In The Coutary.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 15.—Sing Sing prison is slowly changing from one of the most "oppressive" prisons to one of the most "modern" in the country, according to a report of the state prison commission made public today.

The prison has a rose garden "which would grace any institution" said the report. It added:

"Thousands of roses bloom around a concrete fountain in the receiving bowl of which are lilies and gold fish."

The industries at the prison are knitting, manufacture of shoes, sheet metal receptacles, printing in the making of brushes. During 1925, the prisoners made shoes worth $118,060.

The net profits for the state through the industries in Sing Sing for the year ending June 30, 1925, were $27,219 as compared with $72,393 for 1924. The decrease in profits, the report said, was due to the increase in the cost of production.

There are 27 prisoners in the prison charged with murder, and fifty-six charged with manslaughter.

VOICE IN THE AIR WAS RADIO FREAK.

New York, Dec. 15.—Report of a radio freak has been received from a woman at Netcong, N. J., by Arthur Bagley, director of the tower health exercises, broadcast daily from the tower of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, through Stations WEAF, WEEI and WCAP.

Going into her back yard in the early morning, she states, she was startled to hear the sound of a human voice, distinct and clear. No one was in sight, so she supposed it must be in the front of the house. She walked completely around the building seeking the mysterious stranger. When the voice started speaking again and the words: "Up! Down! Up! Down! Up! Down! Halt!" she suddenly realized that it was Bagley of the Metropolitan, broadcasting the exercises.

Somewhere about the place, she concluded, a receiving apparatus had been accidentally created for radio waves. Realizing this, her attention was naturally attracted to a high tension line which passes along the rear edge of her yard. She is convinced that somewhere in the mechanism of this line and its poles the reception was occurring. Her own radio set was shut off and there was no other house within half a mile.

She said she returned indoors and set her own machine in operation. This gave her Bagley's voice simultaneously from outside and inside the house.

The mystery of how his voice was materialized by the high tension wire has not been explained by radio experts. The possibility is put forward that the high tension wire is being used experimentally by someone as a carrier for radio programs. If this were the case, radio engineers see the possibility of a broken glass insulator or some bar of iron serving as a loud speaker and reproducing the voice.

In her letter the woman stated that the reception does not occur regularly and it has not been heard by anyone other than herself. The freak occurred amout 7:30 on a cold frosty morning.

ORGANIZE COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN HERE THURSDAY

A meeting for the purpose of organizing a county council in affiliation with the National and Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women will be held Thursday, December 17, at 2:30 o'clock in the Knights of Columbus building.

The meeting will be addressed by Dr. Anne Nicholson and other national representatives. All Catholic women are invited to attend.

VOLLEY BALL CONTESTS AT EPWORTH HALL.

Men's night will be in order tonight at Epworth Hall of Clinton Avenue Church when the Trinity volley ball players will be present.

On Wednesday evening the Vanity Girls' Volley ball team will play the Men's Club of Clinton avenue Church. The girls' team has been recently organized and an exciting time is expected. The public is invited.

Junior Holy Name Society.

St. Mary's Junior Holy Name Society will hold its regular monthly meeting at St. Mary's School this evening at 7 o'clock. All members are asked to be present so as to settle all matters in regard to the coming basketball season and other matters of business. All those wishing to join this society may do so by attending the meeting tonight and handing their name to the secretary. A large attendance is expected.

Concert and Dance at Woodstock.

A band concert will be given at Firemen's Hall, Woodstock, on Thursday evening beginning at 7:30 o'clock by Charles DeWitt Council, No. 95, J. O. U. A. M. Dancing will follow the band concert, music being furnished by a good orchestra. Everybody welcome to attend.

Bloomington Church Contract.

Oliver Rinderwald, tinsmith on South Wall street, has been awarded the contract to place new gutters on the Bloomington Church.

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Illinois Man Farm Bureau Head

S. H. Thompson of Quincy, Illinois, was elected president of the American Farm Bureau Federation for a two-year term at the annual meeting of the federation in Chicago last week. Mr. Thompson succeeds O. E. Bradfute of Xenia, Ohio, who held the office for three years.

E. A. O'Neal of Alabama was re-elected vice-president. Enos Lee of Yorktown Heights, N. Y., was re-elected to the board of directors as a representative of the eastern farmers.

The new president has been president of the Illinois Agricultural Association for three years. This association is a leading state farm bureau, having one of the biggest memberships of any of the state federations.

Local S. A. Quint Beat Newburgh

The Red Shield Quintet representing the local Salvation Army beat the Stuyvesant Five of Newburgh at the latter's court 31 to 27 on Monday evening.

Merritt, the flash again was the best scorer. Schwartz for the loeers and Joyce of the local club were second with nine points each.

The score:

Kingston.

	F.G.	F.P.	T.P.
DuBois, f.	2	2	6
Joyce, f.	3	3	9
Hyatt, c.	0	2	2
Hoffman, g.	1	2	4
Merritt, g.	3	4	10
Totals	9	13	31

Stuyvesant.

	F.G.	F.P.	T.P.
Schwartz, f.	4	1	9
Siegel, f.	2	0	4
M. Maniscosko, c.	1	1	3
Perlman, c.	0	1	1
S. Maniscosko, g.	3	0	6
Schulman, g.	2	0	4
Totals	12	3	27

DR. CARLO C. CROFT TO LECTURE AT PORT EWEN.

Dr. Carro C. Croft of the State Department of Health and indorsed by the State Congress of Parents and Teachers will deliver a lecture on "Social Hygiene" to women and girls of the 'teen age, in the assembly room of the Port Ewen Methodist Church, Thursday evening, December 17, at eight o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all the Parent-Teacher Associations of Kingston and to all women and girls generally. Dr. Croft comes very highly recommended. This lecture is given through the courtesy of the State Health Department and the Port Ewen Parent-Teacher Association.

DEFER FEDERATED COUNCIL P.-T. A. MEETING UNTIL JANUARY

The regular monthly meeting of the Federated Council, Parent-Teacher Association, will be postponed until January. An invitation has been received to attend the lecture to be given in the Port Ewen Methodist Church house on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Dr. C. C. Croft of the State Department will deliver a talk on "Social Hygiene."

Rehearsal for Minstrels.

Rehearsal of the Y. M. and Y. W. H. A. minstrel will be held this evening at the Hebrew School Hall at 7:45 o'clock.

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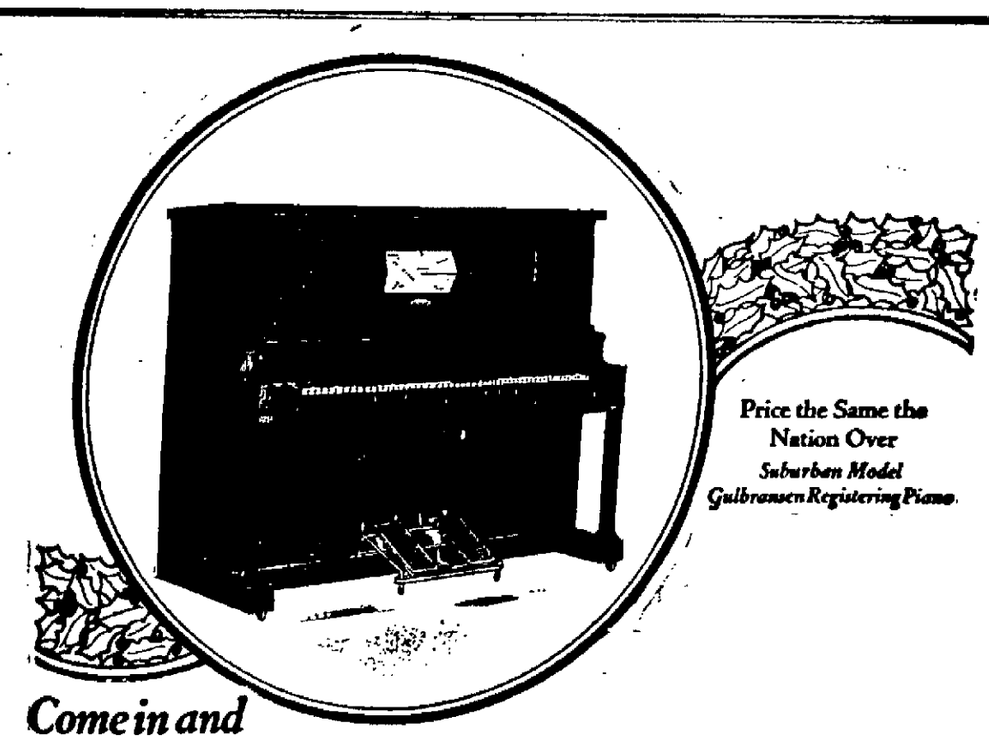

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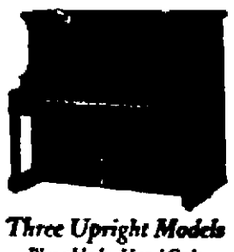

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FOR SALE—Farms, city property, exclusive bargains. GROSS, 509 Wall street.

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WANTED — EXPERIENCED NECK BANDERS AND SLEEVE FACERS. APPLY FULLER'S SHIRT FACTORY.

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WANTED—Experienced maid for general housework; no cooking. Mrs. William D Brinnier, Jr., 63 North Manor avenue.

WANTED—Young lady for store work, with experience preferred. Barton's Bakery, 576 Broadway.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Man as personal factory representative in Kingston. We will give to the right man, the best proposition ever offered; no experience or capital required. Write full information to Syncro Motors Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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TO LET—Flat, four rooms. 75 Abeel street Phone 331.

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TO LET—Six room flat, all improvements; 131 Hasbrouck avenue. Inquire 129 Hasbrouck avenue.

TO LET—Cottage, six rooms, improvements; garage. 78 Gage street.

FOR RENT—Store, attractive location, corner Broadway and Railroad avenue. Inquire Hotel Ulster.

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TO LET—Two large unfurnished rooms. 143 Clinton avenue.

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FOR RENT—Typewriters, Underwood, L. C. Smith, Remington, etc. O'Reilly's, 330 Broadway. Phone 1209.

TO LET—Up-to-date store, in four story brick building, situate 32 East Strand and 31 Ferry street, Kingston, N. Y., in business district and adapted for all kinds of mercantile business; rent reasonable. Inquire Chris A. Murray's office in building.

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TO LET—Four rooms, improvements. Inquire Netburn's Clothing Store.

TO LET—December 15, six rooms and bath, all improvements, garage; if you want a nice pleasant place to live this is it. H. P. Dederick, 155 Elmendorf street. Phone 1089-W.

TO LET—Rooms. 19 West Pierpont street. Apply after 5 p. m.

TO LET—Stores at 773 Broadway. Inquire Harry Netburn. Telephone 544.

TO LET—Six room apartment, all improvements; 21 Abeel street. Phone 716-M.

TO LET—Five room flat, near Broadway. Phone 1186-J.

TO LET—Five room flat, 80 Prospect street, all improvements. Telephone 553 or 676-R.

TO LET—Two flats, five rooms and seven rooms, with garage, all latest improvements; supplying heat; best location; one flat suitable for doctor's office. Telephone 1250-W.

TO LET—Flat, five rooms and bath, improvements; 47 Linderman avenue. Phone 1939-W.

TO LET—Large store, 216 Foxhall avenue. Inquire William D. Ryan, 69 Main street.

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TO LET—Four rooms, improvements; $16 per month. 140 Linderman avenue.

TO LET—Large store, best location, Broadway, attractive rental. GROSS, 509 Wall street.

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TO LET—Flat, 114 O'Neil street. Inquire of Fred J. Roosa, 387 Albany avenue. Phone 901.

FOR RENT—Furnished bungalow; reasonable rent to right parties. Inquire 58 Boulevard.

TO LET—Newly renovated offices with all conveniences, located in central part of city. Inquire Gentile, 356 Broadway. Phone 336-M, or Liccardo, 42 North Front street. Phone 2975.

TO LET—Rooms, reasonable rent. Baker's, 35 North Front street.

FOR RENT—Store and four room apartment, with all improvements. Inquire 71 North Front street.

TO LET—Three room apartment, electric light and toilet, heat furnished. Feldman, 76 Crown street.

TO LET—Six room house . 64 South Manor avenue.

TO LET—Newly erected modern cottage, all improvements, on Andrew street. Inquire No. 56 East Strand.

TO LET—Furnished house for winter months. 7 Green street, or phone 2678.

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TO LET—Dwelling, 64 Van Buren street. Phone Brinnier & Carey, 347.

TO LET—Garage. 339 Hasbrouck avenue.

TO LET—January 1st, six rooms and bath, all improvements; garage; if you want a nice pleasant place to live this is it. H P. Dederick, 155 Elmendorf street. Phone 1089-W.

TO LET—Garage for rent, semi-private. 80 Pine street.

FOR RENT—Furnished, from December 1, 1925, to May 1, 1926, residence of Mrs. Ogden H. Winne, 185 Albany avenue, Kingston. Inquire V. R. Van Wagoner, 240 Fair street.

FURNISHED ROOMS.

FURNISHED ROOMS—Two room kitchenette apartment. 29 Franklin street. Phone 1701-M.

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FURNISHED ROOM—Board with or without rooms. 202 Fair street. Telephone 1777-R.

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FURNISHED ROOMS—Three room furnished apartment, all improvements, reasonable. 129 Jansen avenue. Telephone 1491-R.

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Smith Prepares Annual Message

Governor Plans to Urge Four Years' Term and Executive Budget—Is Confident G. O. P. Will Pass the Bond Issues.

Albany, Dec. 15.—Governor Smith expects to get down to real work on his annual message to the 1926 legislature within a day or so, he told friends today.

It is understood the message will not be so long as other years. This will mark the sixth document of its kind the governor has prepared, two more than any other man since early Colonial days.

The governor is planning to again urge the Republican leaders of the legislature to give favorable consideration to his recommendations for constitutional amendments to provide for a four years' term for governor and an executive budget. The G. O. P. chiefs, however, have intimated that these two suggestions will be treated the same as last year when they were held in committee and never permitted to come to a vote on the floor of the house.

The lawmakers will convene for the 1926 session on Wednesday, January 6, and the governor will not be in possession of sufficient facts until a few days before to know if it will be possible to again recommend a 25 per cent reduction in the state income tax.

One thing has become certain, however, in the last week, according to friends of the governor and some of the Republican legislative leaders—that the state income tax will not be abolished. A few weeks ago it was reported in New York that the Republican leaders were planning to abolish entirely the income tax. It was said today, however, by those who ought to know, that the state's financial condition will not permit such action.

Governor Smith, according to his friends, is not losing any sleep worrying about whether the Republican leaders will pass the necessary legislation to carry out his $100,000,000 bond issue for permanent public improvements and the $300,000,000 bond issue for the elimination of railroad grade crossings. The governor is or is said to feel confident the G. O. P. will "do the right thing."

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FURNISHED ROOMS—Two or three room apartment, all improvements. Phone 1777-R. 202 Fair street.

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FURNISHED ROOMS—One or more connecting rooms; housekeeping if desired; all improvements. Phone 1117 or 1163-M. 179 Wall street.

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FURNITURE Storage; mouse and dust proof; all metal lined rooms; rates $3.00 to $5.00 per month. Apply Stuyvesant Garage. Phone 1176.

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CHAIR seated; prices reasonable. Phone 206-W.

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POSITION WANTED—Practical nurse, very capable, best of reference. Box 400 Uptown Freeman.

POSITION WANTED—Woman with boy, age 13, wishes position as housekeeper. Address Glinekill Farm, New Paltz. Mrs. C. Recktenwald.

POSITION WANTED—Handy American man desires position, porter, general work, kitchen work, hotel or restaurant. Call 156 St. James street.

LOST.

LOST — Female Dachshund, markings black with white breast, license No. 300308 Please answers to name "Pucky." Owner, Walter Burger, West Park.

LOST—From auto after midnight Thursday, December 10, between Wall and John streets, and the Y building, Scofield reference folder; owner's name on fly leaf. Please return to office, Y. M. C. A.

LOST—Sunday in vicinity of Ashokan, Beagle hound, black with white and tan spots; was "Prince." Arthur S. Ballard, 35 Elmendorf street. Phone 268-W. Reward.

LOST— . automobile keys, and operator's li . se, in folder, in uptown district. Kindly return to Downtown Freeman.

LOST— Friday afternoon, between Van Wagoner's and Kresge's, small pocketbook, containing $5 bill and change. Reward Phone 1782-W.

LOST— Black leather case, on Kingston-Middletown highway, near Walden, Friday night. Return to Freeman Office.

LOST—In Kresge's Theatre, Friday night, small pin with initials M. C. F. Finder please return 3 Green Freeman.

LOST—Gold ring, with plain onyx. Please call 1236-R, or leave at Mann's Business School.

LOST—Beagle hound, black, white and tan, seven months old. Telephone 2736-J.

LOST—Two tie tacks, near Green street Finder C. Schoonhoven & Son. Telephone 624-R.

FOUND.

FOUND—Black Hound and rabbit dog. Owner, call Box 123 Sawkill R. Saugerties.

FOUND—Reading House c'o, Tuesday morning, on Wall street; owner can have same by applying at Uptown Freeman.

Women to Meet In Washington

Representatives of Many Women's Organizations Will Hold Three Day Conference to Discuss Problems Speeches to be Broadcast.

Delegates already appointed to the women's industrial conference, in response to invitations sent out by the Women's Bureau of the United States Department of Labor, indicate that one of the most representative groups of women ever assembled in Washington will gather there on January 18 for the three day meeting. Unlike many conventions and conferences whose membership is limited to one organization or group of organizations, this conference will have as delegates women from practically every national woman's organization and every national organization having a large proportion of woman members.

At the opening session of the conference, the proceedings of which will be broadcast by Station WCAP on Monday evening, January 18, the chief speakers will be the secretary of labor, Mrs. John Jacob Rogers, member of congress from Massachusetts, and Mrs. Julius Kahn, member of congress from California.

Secretary Davis Principal Speaker.

The secretary of labor, who is to make the main address of the evening on "Working Women and the American Home," is keeping in close touch with the progress of the conference and expresses gratification at the responses which have already been received.

"It is not surprising," he said in an interview today on the subject of the coming meeting, "when we realize that one of every four workers is a woman, and that one of every four women is a worker, to find that the women of the country are so generally concerned in the problems of industrial employment. It is not surprising, but it is nevertheless gratifying We are going to present at this conference an unbiased discussion of industrial problems by persons who are best fitted through experience and knowledge to give definate and valuable information. The responses which we are receiving indicate that the program we have outlined is of importance to employers and consumers as well as to workers."

Talks by Congresswomen.

Mrs. Rogers is to speak on what Massachusetts has done for women workers, and in her letter of acceptance to Miss Mary Anderson, director of the Women's Bureau, she says:

"I am glad to speak at the Women's Industrial Conference because, representing as I do many different types of men and women with varied interests, I realize that the well-being of wage-earning women is a subject which comes home to everyone. In establishing proper standards and policies regarding women's employment, we should be able to take advantage of the experience of all groups which have immediate contact with any phases of the question, and I hope the proposed conference is going to make possible such an interchange of ideas and experience."

Mrs. Kahn whose subject will be Industrial Standards for Women in California, speaks enthusiastically about the many different groups of women she expects to meet at the conference.

"I consider it not only a pleasure but a privilege," she says "to be called into the conference to meet the women from the north, the south, and east and the west, because I feel it brings about not only a better understanding of women's problems all over the country but also a better understanding of each other and with understanding of each other's problems comes a closer union."

ORIGINAL SHAMROCKS OPEN TEAM SATURDAY.

The Original Shamrock Basketball Club will officially open its basketball season Saturday evening, meeting the strong Allaben quintet at Allaben. In seasons past the Shamrocks were the best drawing card ever to appear at Allaben and it is expected that one of the largest crowds of the season will be on hand when Referee Pultz blows the whistle to call the teams in action.

Manager McNally, of the Shamrocks, has already completed his line-up, which contains some of the best basketball players around this section.

The game will start promptly at 8:30 o'clock. Pease's six piece jazz orchestra will supply the music for dancing. The lineup for both teams will be announced in Thursday evening's paper.

Choir Rehearsal and Basketball.

This evening at St. Mary's School Hall, St. Mary's Senior Holy Name choir will hold its regular weekly choir rehearsal at 7 o'clock. After choir rehearsal the Holy Name Society will hold a meeting in the school hall in regard to a basketball league. All members interested in this are asked to appear at the school hall this evening.

W. C. T. U. to Meet.

The Kingston W. C. T. U. will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in St. James's M. E. Church. The devotional exercises will be in charge of Mrs. Enaid.

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Winter Begins December 22

According to the almanac for 1926 winter begins at 3:37 a. m. on December 22, 1925, and lasts 89 days and 25 minutes. Spring begins at 4:02 a. m. on March 21, 1926, and lasts 92 days, 19 hours and 28 minutes; summer on June 21, at 11:30 p. m. and lasts 93 days, 14 hours and 57 minutes, while autumn begins September 23, at 2:27 p. m., and lasts 89 days, 19 hours and 7 minutes. Ash Wednesday, the beginning of the Lenten season, falls on February 17, Palm Sunday on March 28, Good Friday on April 2, and Easter Sunday on April 4. There will be two eclipses of the sun in 1926, both invisible here.

Saugerties Man Dropped Dead

Charles Winter, Sr., who resided on Ann street, Saugerties, dropped dead on Sunday evening at Barrytown. Mr. Winter was an employe of the Saugerties and New York Steamboat Company as deckhand on the Steamer Robert A. Snyder which was enroute for New York city and docked at Barrytown to unload passengers and freight. He had been trucking freight aboard the boat when he stopped to rest a moment and suddenly expired. An autopsy was held by the coroner at Red Hook and hardening of the arteries was held as the cause of his death. He was a man 64 years of age and a wife and five children are the survivors. The body was taken to the home of his sons in Saugerties on Monday afternoon.

ROSS STORES SAFE AT BAYONNE, N. J., RIFLED

Edward Ritcher, manager of the Ross Stores, Inc., in Bayonne, N. J., reported to the police of that city on Monday that the safe of the store had been blown open and rifled of week end receipts amounting to $3,000. The police said an attempt to drill the floor and lower the safe to the cellar was abandoned by the thieves.

The Ross Stores, Inc., are owners of the Van Wagenen store on Wall street, this city.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our relatives, neighbors, friends, also sisters and children of St. Peter's School for their kindness and words of sympathy, also for beautiful floral tributes at the death of our dearly beloved little darling daughter Marie.
MOTHER AND DAD, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. SCHWALBACH.
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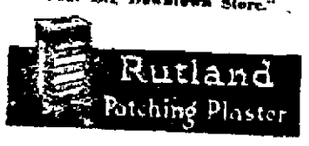

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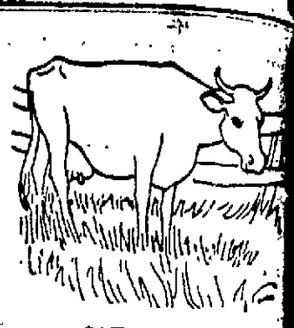

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Get ready for the laugh of your life! Syd Chaplin is coming soon in his first new Warner comedy, "The Man on the Box."

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Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name of Hoffman Thomas Co. has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All bills owing to the firm will be paid by Mr. Hoffman and all bills due to the firm should be paid to him. The business will be continued by Fred T. Hoffman in the same place.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. George F. Kaufman, Surrogate of Ulster County, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Elizabeth Mackey, late of the Town of Shandaken, County of Ulster, deceased, testate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned Henry Mackey, the Executor of the estate of said deceased, at the Office of Brinnier & Canfield, Attorneys for Executor, 33 John street, in the said City of Kingston on or before the 15th day of March, 1926.

Dated, September 8th, 1925.

HENRY MACKEY, Executor

Brinnier & Canfield, Attorneys for Executor, 33 John street, Kingston, N. Y.

State of New York, State Engineer, Albany, N. Y., December 11, 1925. Sale of land. Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Land Office adopted at a meeting held on the 9th day of November, 1925, and by virtue of power vested in me by law, I shall offer for sale at public auction at the office of the State Engineer and Surveyor, New York Telephone Building, 156 State Street in the City of Albany, County of Albany, State of New York on Thursday, January 21, 1926 at 12 o'clock noon, or at such later dates and times to which the sale may be adjourned, all the right of the State of New York in lands described as follows:

Ulster County, Saugerties Village, Sawkill, Gardner second ward, Main St., 50 ft. by 200 ft. by land of B. J. Hentzel and James T. Maxwell, E. 50 ft. by land of T. C. Reed, S. 200 ft. by land of Allie B. Snyder and W. 50 ft. by land of B. B. Hentzel and Jas. T. Maxwell, 50x200 feet.

The terms of sale require the purchaser to pay the full purchase price at time of sale. The purchaser will receive a quitclaim patent for the land.

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Boy Scouts Will Direct Traffic

The police department of Saugerties has placed a "stop and go" signal traffic standard at the corner of Main street and Washington avenue for the protection of the students who attend school in the high school building. The signals will be operated daily by a Boy Scout during the time of the opening and closing of the school sessions.

The plan will aid greatly in the prevention of accidents at the school corner.

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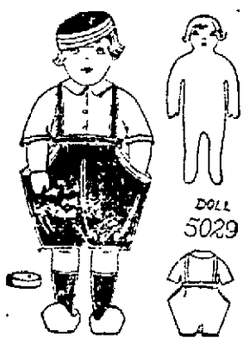

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Spurns Title

Helen Marye, daughter of the former American Ambassador to Russia, who was reported engaged to Count Negri Arnoldi, of the Italian cavalry, is to become the bride of Captain William D. Thomas at Washington.

The Way You View It

It's a good deal in the way you look at it. The other day a woman died leaving an estate valued at nearly four millions and considered herself poor. At the same time an editor died and left an estate valued at $11,000. He probably considered himself rich. —Charleston Daily Mail.

Cured His Rupture

I was badly ruptured while lifting a trunk several years ago. Doctors said my only hope of cure was an operation. Trusses did me no good. Finally I got hold of something that quickly and completely cured me. Years have passed and the rupture has never returned, although I am doing hard work as a carpenter. There was no operation, no lost time, no trouble. I have nothing to sell, but will give full information about how you may find a complete cure without operation, if you write to me. Eugene M. Pullen, Carpenter, 562 M Marcellus Avenue, Manasquan, N. J. Better cut out this notice and show it to any others who are ruptured—you may save a life or at least stop the misery of rupture and the worry and danger of an operation.

Present Day Poland Described

Monday Club Lecturer Gives Vivid Word Picture of Conditions in a Country Where Minorities are Striving for Supremacy.

"Present Day Poland," especially Poland's present day problems, was the subject of the lecture by Dr. Textor of Vassar before the Monday Club members and associates on Monday afternoon at the chapel of the First Reformed Church. It was one of the most interesting lectures of the entire series.

Present Day Poland was born in 1918 and even now the Prussian Poles, the Austrian Poles, the Russian Poles find it hard to get each other's viewpoint or to have much sympathy for or understanding of each other. Then Poland is still a greatly devastated country with a hundred miles of barbed wire, destroyed homes and estates and ruined forests. Apparently what was not destroyed by the war has been demolished by the elements since the war.

Economic and Political Conditions.

Industrially there is devastation, for most of the factories were under the ownership of Prussians, Austrians and Russians. These owners have gone away and the people are desperately poor. Poland was not even sure of its boundary line until 1920. The country was decidedly disappointed not to have Vilna after the war, nor could she understand the desire of the Lithuanians, to whom Vilna belonged, insisting upon their independence. Consequently when Vilna finally was given over to Poland there remained a marked spirit of dissatisfaction in the country over that. Silesia was almost entirely German, but because of the need of a seaport the Poles insisted upon having Danzig, and can't yet understand its inhabitants' desire for it to be a free city, which it is.

Another serious problem for Poland is the continuing depreciation of its money.

Conditions Exaggerated.

Perhaps one of its gravest problems today is that of its minorities. Of its eighteen million population about nine million are non-Poles, and these people are not happy under Polish government. Dr. Textor admitted frankly that Poland has been brutal to its three and a half million Jews who came to the country some thousand years ago. In many ways they have discriminated against the Jews and the pogroms with their murders and confiscations of property became so serious that this country finally sent Morgenthall over to investigate the matter. He reported conditions bad enough but decidedly exaggerated at that.

Won't Admit Jews' Cleverness.

With the poverty so great, the Poles have complained that there was not bread enough for themselves and the Jews. Nor have they been willing to acknowledge what is true, that the Jews are much more clever than themselves in a business way. If they would acknowledge this fact and be willing to learn of them it would be to their advantage. Even although the Jews though much better off, their deputies are given but scant hearings by the government.

Making Mutual Concessions.

On the other side, the Poles complain that they can't tolerate the Jews and have to be on their guard against their aggressiveness. Dr. Textor illustrated this condition with a story from life.

Until about six months ago the orthodox Jews, wearing the costumes of past generations and maintaining these customs, have insisted upon both, much to the annoyance of their Polish neighbors who objected to the whole non-progressive spirit. Now both sides have agreed to no longer fight each other but to try and make mutual concessions to each other in business and other ways. Naturally this adjustment will take a long time to become really effective.

No Big Political Parties.

In 1921 Poland adopted a Constitution. It now has a president of the French type; a small Upper House and a considerably larger Lower House, with free suffrage for men and women. When Dr. Textor attended the opening government session she realized that there was a decided lack of governing experience, but she was favorably impressed with the Prime Minister, a man of the well-to-do peasant type, but vigorous even if having much to learn. There are no big parties in Poland so of necessity there is coalition, which also means compromise.

The Language Problem.

Dr. Textor told at some length of the language problem in Poland. The minorities want schools for their children in their own languages; even the Jews demanded schools in Hebrew for their children. It has worked out, up to the present time, so that where there are forty children of one language in a place they may have a school in their own language and if in the same place there are twenty-five Polish children, there may be another school for them in the Polish language. They have promised the Jews that all in good time they will try to arrange for the schools in Hebrew.

New Way of Voting.

Dr. Textor attended a hearing on this matter and said there were none women deputies present, all interested in the betterment of Poland. She described their novel way of voting. The hall was cleared. Over the two doors to the hall were placed cards reading, the one "yes," the other "no." As the people returned through the door using their way, they were checked off and the votes counted.

The Problem of Images.

The great problem of today in Poland, according to Dr. Textor, is that of the estates. This matter the lecturer went into quite an extent, describing the run-down conditions of some of the most beautiful estates formerly owned by Russian Poles and others and telling of the final judgment gradually to parcel out certain percentages of the big estates to the people who will work them.

There is a frightful amount of unemployment throughout all of Poland today.

What Education Can Do.

Dr. Textor told delightfully of meeting some of the worth while men of the nobility in Russia and other personal experiences. She said that the universities were doing good work, and if in addition to teaching the three Rs they would also teach the spirit of mutual consideration to the minorities, with ill will to none, the future of Poland would be assured.

The next and last of these lectures to be given by Dr. Textor will occur next Monday afternoon, when her subject will be "Polish Achievements in Arts and Letters."

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Saugerties Legion Post to Banquet

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PORT EWEN.

Port Ewen, Dec. 15.—The chairman of the Red Cross in Port Ewen, Mrs. John Reynolds, of Hamilton street, with her assistants, have received $56.

Esopus Council, No. 12, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, will meet in their council room on Wednesday evening, December 16, at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Waye of Broadway are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Waye in New Paltz for a few days.

The official board of the Methodist Church will have a turkey shoulder sale in the assembly room of the church on Friday evening, December 18, at 11 o'clock.

Dr. [illegible] of the State Department of [illegible] and the state [illegible] of [illegible] and Teachers, will address a [illegible] on Social Hygiene to women and girls of the "teen age" in the assembly room of the Methodist Church [illegible] on Friday evening, December 18, at eight o'clock. All women and girls thirteen years of age and over are cordially invited to be present. Dr. Pratt comes highly recommended and Port Ewen is extremely fortunate in securing him [illegible] Mothers should consider this a privilege for themselves and their daughters. There will be no admission fee or collection.

The Church of the Presentation will hold a fair and bazaar in St. Joe's hall, Port Ewen, December 25 and 26, Christmas night and Saturday night.

A grand dance under the auspices of the Port Ewen fire department will be held at Pythian Hall on Thursday evening, December 17. This is a big time for everybody. Music by Colonial Serenaders. Charleston allowed. Refreshments on sale.

The Dorcas Society will hold a pot luck supper in the lecture room of the Reformed Church this evening at 6 o'clock.

Mrs. Matilda Tinnie and son, Robert, of Schryver street, are spending the winter with relatives in New Jersey and Brooklyn.

The Sunday school of the Reformed Church will meet in the Reformed Church Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock to rehearse the Christmas music. All members of the school are requested to come for the rehearsal.

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Sun rises, 7:14; sets, 4:36.
Weather, clear.

The Temperature.

The lowest point registered by The Freeman's thermometer last night was 21 degrees. The highest point reached up until noon today was 32 degrees.

Weather Forecast.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Eastern New York: Generally fair tonight; Wednesday cloudy, probably rain or snow on the coast and snow in the interior; slowly rising temperature Wednesday; fresh northwest, shifting to northeast winds.

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Coffey Lands, Fisher Loses

Hub Coffey Connects in the Fifth Round and Fisher Hits the Floor—Bouts at Elks' Club Attended by Record Crowd.

A crushing blow that landed was the only clean cut shot from the glove of Hub Coffey in the Coffey-Fisher bout at the Elks' Club on Monday evening. One was enough for Fisher or anybody else barring a few that very seldom or never visit our Colonial City.

It was in the fifth round of the scheduled six round bout at one of the best fight cards ever staged in the city. No there wasn't any sixth round. Finding an opening Coffey let fly a glove that landed on Fisher's face that drove the latter to the canvas. But still this wasn't enough for the plucky youngster, so Coffey knocked him through the ropes. The bell sounded ending the fifth round as Fisher was picked up from the floor. The explanation given for the termination of the bout at this time was that Fisher had hit his head so hard on the floor that he was unable to continue.

Fisher fought a great battle and had the fight on points up until the fifth by a safe margin. But nine innings constitute a ball game and the last man wasn't out but ordinarily should have been when Coffey landed in the fifth.

Houlihan's weight was too much for Joe Werner in the semi-final round. Both men fought hard with Eddie having the slight advantage on his more experienced opponent.

Every bout was bang up beginning with the first down the line to the final. The opener between Fay of East Kingston and Hertica of Port Ewen was a fast affair. The Frenchy-Winoski bout was also a thrilling go and the Sorkas-Carpino battle was a slashing affair. Besides the good boxing bouts the vaudeville entertainment was rip roaring. Harry Witkins, Kansas contortionist, carried off the honors. There were, also a number of fine solos rendered and some fancy dancing.

All told the program was one of the best ever staged in the city. A big crowd was in attendance and from the favorable expressions voiced, everyone enjoyed himself.

Holy Cross Card Party.

A card party will be held at the Holy Cross parish house on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. There will be prizes and refreshments. The public is cordially invited.

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Bone Crushers Also Reap Riches

Gotch and Ed Lewis Ranked First as The Most Brutal—Frank's Toehold is Vicious.

Denver, Dec. 15.—While most of the top flight boxers are idle due to the scarcity of promoters who are willing to risk hanging up prohibitive purses, wrestlers are busily engaged selling their wares all over America and are proving themselves to be good merchants. The mat art did not bask in the sunshine of success in other years as this season, but time brings about a change in everything and the gentle sport of "bone-crushing" is not exempted.

With wrestling moving back into popularity at such a fast clip, followers of the game are found discussing "rassling" matters in general in most places where fans are wont to assemble to air their views and to offer criticism of a constructive nature and otherwise. One of the biggest questons being agued pro and con probably is, "Who was the most brutal heavyweight wrestling champion?"

Gotch a Punisher.

Some say Caddock. Though Earl was rather light to give out punishment he did prove to be a mean baby with most any hold he chose to apply.

George Hackenschmidt, the Russian Lion, is the choice of others.

Je (Tots) Mondt and his jackknife scissors and Wagne (Big) Munn and his famous half-Nelson and crotch holds are mentioned in the list, although neither was ever the king-pin of his class.

But a majority of the critics are of the belief that the honor of being the most brutal champion, if one would call it an honor, lies between the now departed Frank Gotch of Iowa and Ed (Strangler) Lewis, the present ruler of the heavyweight division.

Gotch did most of his damage on the mat with a toehold. On more than one occasion he forced his opponent to resign when he fastened his powerful hands on his feet. But there is no such risk connected with a toehold as there is to a headlock—the pet hold of Champion Lewis. It is not an uncommon occurrence for Lewis to render a rival unconscious in defending his title. Such was the case when he wrestled Joe Stecher last in New York city. Stecher had to be carried from the ring, taken to a hospital in an ambulance and there remain for some weeks.

Headlock Barred.

The harm and suffering that was Stecher's in his New York bout with the "Strangler" prompted Joe's brother, Tony, to persuade the New York Athletic Commission to bar forever Lewis's headlock in all matches held under their jurisdiction. John Olin, Jim Londos, John Pesek, and other stars are found in the Lewis headlock casualty list.

While Gotch dealt out great misery his record does not show where he ever did the injuries to opponents as has the "Strangler."

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Captain McEwan To Direct Oregon

West Point, N. Y., Dec. 15.—Colonel Koehler, executive officer, expressed surprise today over the report that Captain John J. McEwan, for several years head coach of football at the military academy, had signed a five year contract to direct the University of Oregon team.

"We have no definite plans here for the handling of the team in 1926 but assumed that Captain McEwan would return," he said.

Results in "Y" Senior League

The Wanderers easily defeated Captain Noble's Whirlwinds in the Senior League at the Y. M. C. A. court Monday evening.

McLane led the scoring with four fields and four fouls for a total of twelve points. The rest of the Wanderers did their share in the scoring. Noble played the whole game for the Whirlwinds, scoring nine points out of the ten, Palisi droping in the other foul.

The score:

Whirlwinds.

	F.G.	F.P.	T.P.
Schwartz, rf.	0	0	0
Noble, lf.	0	9	9
Bishop, c.	0	0	0
Schick, c.	0	0	0
L. O'Reilly, rg.	0	0	0
Palisi, lg.	0	1	1
	0	10	10

Wanderers.

	F.G.	F.P.	T.P.
Disch, rf.	2	3	7
Davitt, lf.	1	3	5
Clark, c.	3	0	6
McLane, rg.	4	4	12
Winter, lg.	0	0	0
	10	10	30

Score at end of first half, Wanderers, 18; Whirlwinds, 2. Fouls committed, Wanderers, 17; Whirlwinds, 26. Referee, Murray. Timekeeper, Fitzgerald. Time of halves, 15 minutes.

League Standing.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Orioles	1	0	1,000
Wanderers	1	0	1,000
Triangles	1	0	1,000
Whirlwinds	0	1	.000
Crescents	0	1	.000
Colonials	0	1	.000

Games at Epworth Hall.

On Wednesday evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock, at Epworth Hall, there will be a basketball and volley ball game played between local teams. These games are of a benefit nature, the proceeds going toward the Junior League of the Clinton Avenue M. E. Church.

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Ruth on Self Denial Campaign

Famous Yankee Player Is Said To Be Sincere In His Course of Training—Was In Good Shape When Seen at Army-Navy Game.

New York, Dec. 15.—According to those who hover in the great man's wake, George H. Ruth, the well known baseball player, is on another of his periodical seances of self denial down at the old homestead in Sudbury, Mass. Our Mr. Ruth apparently selects every second year to starve himself into submission.

He made his lone appearance on Broadway, since the conclusion of the baseball season, at the Army and Navy game and it was noted with great glee that he was down to his last 230 pounds, which, if true, is not so bad, at that. He probably outranked this figure by twenty pounds at a corresponding period last year.

They say Ruth really is sincere this time in his course of Spartan severity. Never before, it is said, has his self denial been so great or so steadfast. Never before has this business been so necessary. One more season like the last and the $52,000 a year man wouldn't be able to sell himself to the Yankees for thirty cents on the dollar.

Perhaps the young man has come to a tardy realization of the situation. Perhaps it is just a matter of environment. Seemingly, he can embrace the cloistered existence to better effect in the winter time when, perversely enough, it is not so necessary for him to be in good condition. Associations and environment have a lot to do with what seems like a useful career headed for a premature end.

Ruth was very near the end during the 1925 season. An extremely sick man, he was allowed to return to the game too soon for the good of either himself or his club. He was not in condition to play ball at any time during the campaign.

Realizing the hopelessness of his task, he made little effort to train, and, finally, was suspended by Miller Huggins. This action had something of the desired effect for Ruth finished with a bit of a flourish, coming up from .260 to .290 in hitting and getting a matter of twenty-two home runs.

This, however, was not the kind of a record the Yankees were paying him $52,000 a season to compile. Neither were they gratified to note that Ruth's legs seemed to be failing him, a tell tale sign in a ball player's career.

He couldn't range the outfield with his old abandon, his speed on the bases was gone. However, the writer knows a lot of ball players who, placed in Ruth's position, wouldn't have been out there at all.

Therefore, those who predict that Ruth will not come back may be a bit hasty. The legs can be built up by plenty of walking. He is getting that now with two rounds of golf daily and soon will go south to continue the system.

The best remains with Ruth and his diet, if any. If he takes no greater pains with his condition than he did last year, there will be no hope for him. He must live the simple life or take the consequences.

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Tomorrow—Raymond Griffith in "The Night Club."

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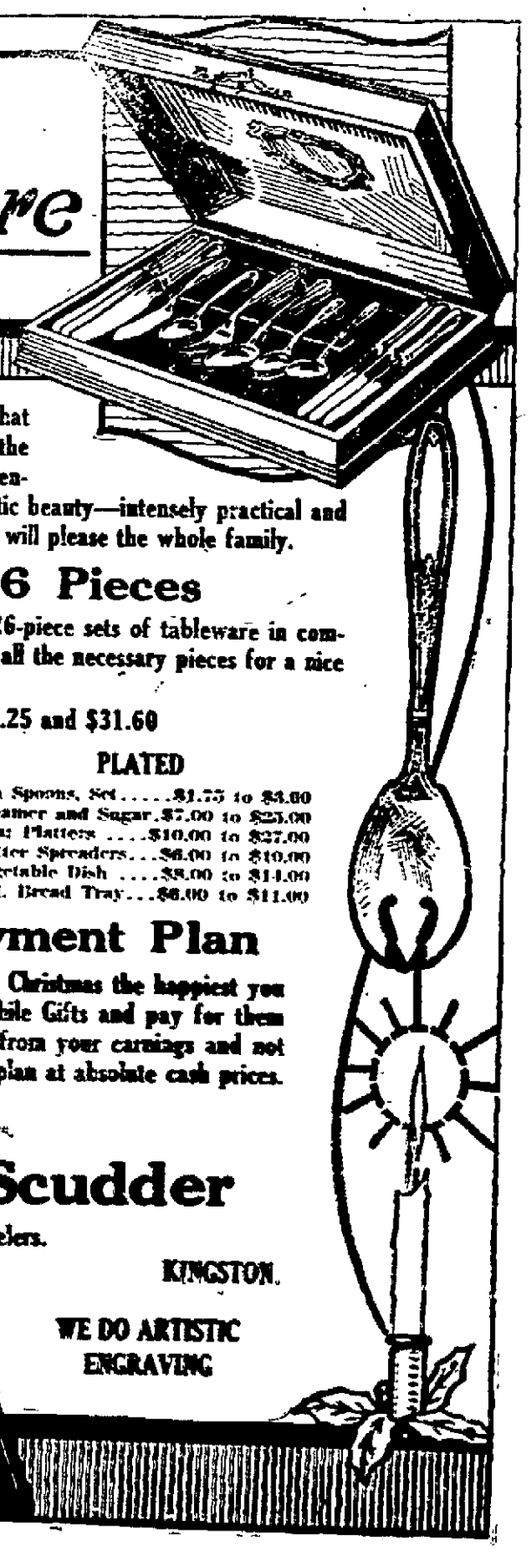

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Bowling Results On "Y" Alleys

One match was rolled in the National League on the Y. M. C. A. alleys Monday evening when the Kingston Trust Company bowlers won two out of three games from the C team of the Kingston Gas & Electric Company.

The scores:

Gas and Electric (C).

	1st.G.	2nd.G.	3rd.G.
Wolfersteig	152	151	186
Whitney	155	139	132
Peet	195	165	186
Totals	502	455	504

Kingston Trust Co.

	1st.G.	2nd.G.	3rd.G.
Miller	125	158	170
Lefevre	180	172	183
Thiel	119	167	134
Totals	424	497	547

INTRODUCE PROFESSIONAL HOCKEY IN NEW YORK

New York, Dec. 15.—Professional hockey will be formally introduced in New York as a winter attraction with a league match between Tex Rickard's New York Americans and Les Canadiens of Montreal.

After the match, which will officially dedicate the new Madison Square Garden, the Canadian club will give a supper dance at the Hotel Biltmore, with the players of both teams as guests.

Fashion Park Suits and Overcoats at a Twenty Per Cent Reduction until Christmas.

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Miss Sears Had A Tennis Elbow

Boston, Mass., Dec. 15.—Miss Eleonora Sears, society sportswoman, whose latest exploit, a gruelling 45 mile hike from Providence to Boston in 11 hours and eight minutes, was the topic of Boston's 400, today appeared about town with her right arm in a sling.

She had made the distance yesterday under two handicaps—a tennis elbow and a swollen knee. Her arm had been in a sling a long time before her Providence to Boston walk and she wore the sling again today.

Miss Sears walked from her home to a downtown theater last evening and was ready for another hike today.

That no mystery lies behind the hike from Providence was the statement of the noted woman athlete. "It was just a sporting proposition," she said. "Howard Sturgess of Providence said it would take me 15 hours. I bet I could do it in less time. I made good on my word. that's all."

KAPLAN NEARLY DOWN TO REQUIRED WEIGHT

New York, Dec. 15.—Reports from the training camp of Louis Kid Kaplan at Meriden, Conn., today were to the effect that the featherweight champion was nearly down to the required weight of 126 pounds for his title bout with Babe Herman at Madison Square Garden on Friday night. It was said that he weighed 127 pounds and was strong. Kaplan is expected to enter the ring a 9 to 5 favorite over Herman in spite of the fact that many believed the latter won over the champion at Waterbury, Conn., last summer.